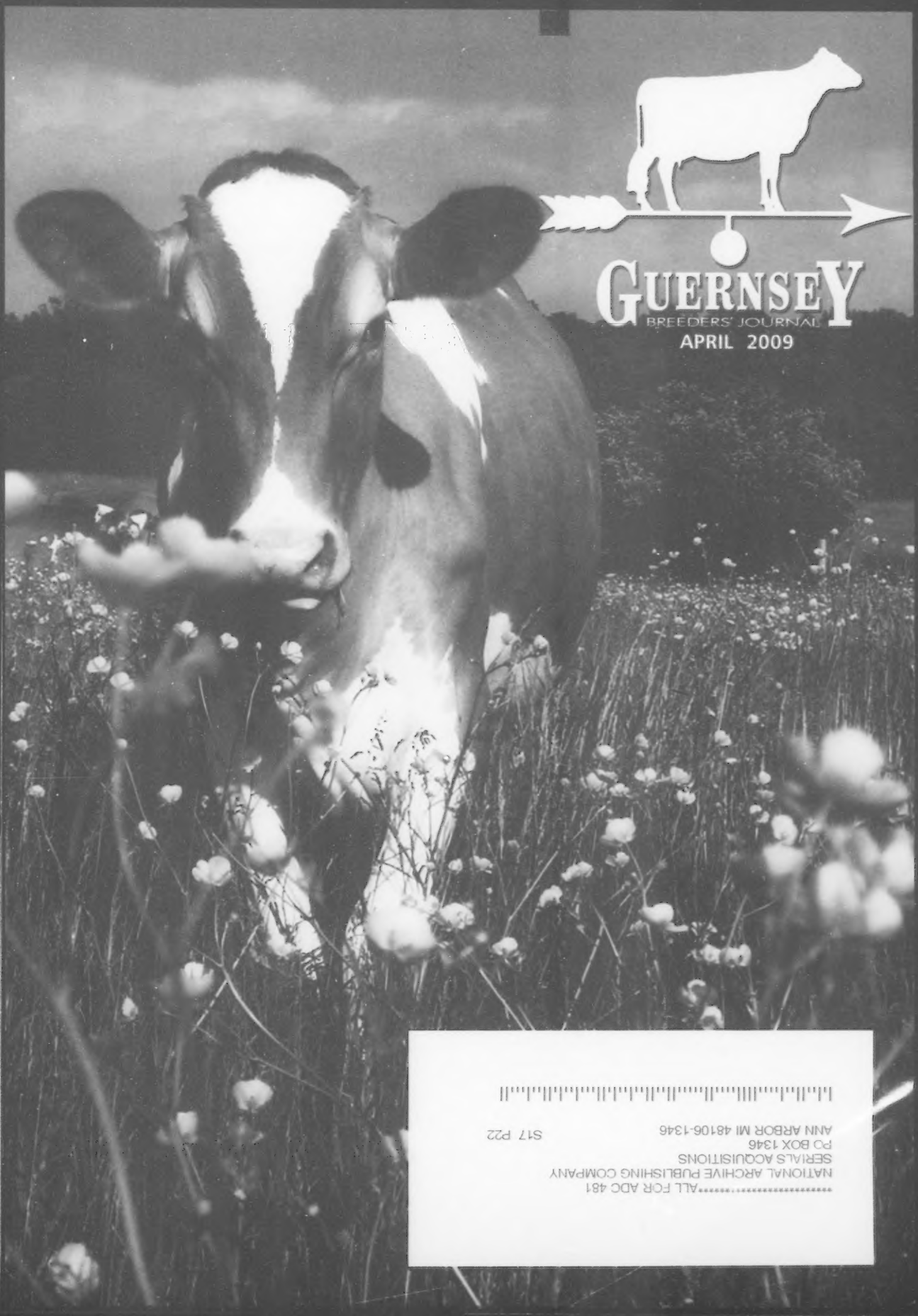

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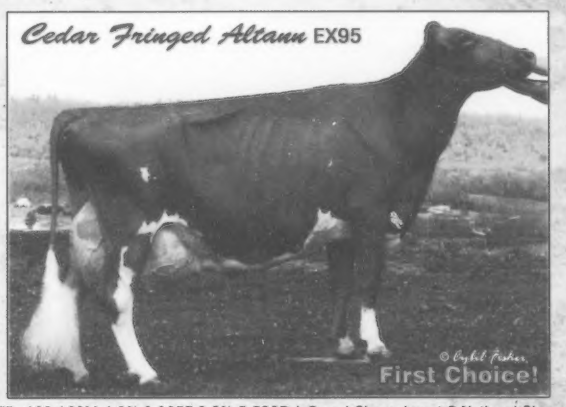
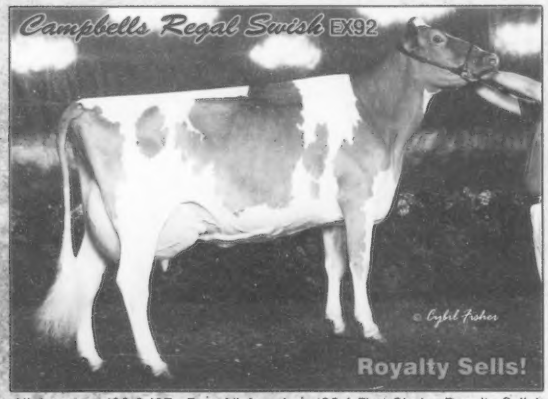


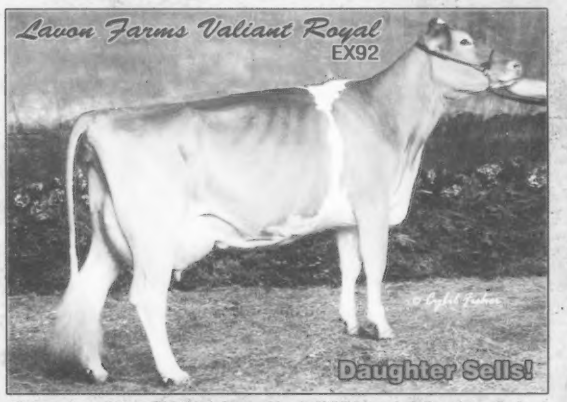
LTD: 168,160M 4.8% 8,035F 3.3% 5,522P | Grand Champion at 3 National Shows
Dam of Alstar, Alliance & Aaron. Dam of 10 VG or EX Daughters. Oh My! Choice of Altann's Yogi daughters sells! **Snider Homestead, PA**



All-American '06 & '07. Res. All-American '08 | First Choice Royalty Sells!
Lavon Farms, TX

4-05 305D 22,020M 4.2% 915F 3.1% 675P | Grand Champion NGS-Madison '06
First Choice daughter sells from her EX-90 Perfecto dam! **Lavon Farms, TX**

1-11 365D 21,660M 4.5% 985F 3.1% 663P | An American Pie calf and embryos sell from this exciting member of the Tom Dee Family. She is from an EX-90 Bossman, then VG-88 Enhancer, then Tom Dee, EX-96. **Knapps Guernseys, IA**



All-American 5-Year-Old '05 | Backed by 2 EX93 Dams! A Royalty sells from Royal – right from the heart of the Queenellas! **City Slickers, WI**. A Choice from her exciting Fayette Daughter sells – she and her flushmate were Nom AA Produce in '08. **Lavon Farms, TX**. A Choice sells from her VG87 Gray sister, the dam of '07 AA Nom Tiller Queena, EX90. **Lavon Farms, TX**

The #3 PA Net Merit heifer in the breed sells!
She's a Glacier from a VG-87 (90MS) Alstar! Three Brooks, MD

Only the Best

3-09 305D 19,530M 4.7% 909F 3.3% 648P | All-American '06 & '07. Res. Grand Madison & Grand Louisville. A Super Lux Fall Calf sells from a full sister to Anne's dam! Will lightning strike twice? **Dr. John Mozier, KS**

2-00 365D 24,167M 4.8% 1,158F 3.3% 794P | All-American Jr. 2-Year-Old '06 Joke's Spider son, Lone Star, will be syndicated. **Spring Hill Farm, OH**

Missy's dam is the EX-93 Res. All-American Perfecto Mitzby. A Mr America sells from Missy's VG-87 Deemand with 26,000M, 1,200F and 900P. **Molehill Acres, KY**

Res. All-American Smr. Yrlg. '07 | Her dam is VG88 with 1,000F. Shanandoah's Summer Yearling sells ready for the shows. **Nicley & Croshaw, KY**

Lifetime: 134,060M 4.6% 6,158F 3.9% 5,162P
HM All-American Sr. 2-Yr-Old & 4-Yr-Old | A Silverado sells from Katrina's Khan. Two sisters to the Khan are already Excellent! **Dix Lee, MO**

LTD: 119,180M 4.5% 5,350F 3.2% 3,757P | Her Ace Fall Calf sells. This c[illegible] backed by 4 EX dams, all with over 900F. First ever major offering from [illegible] family!
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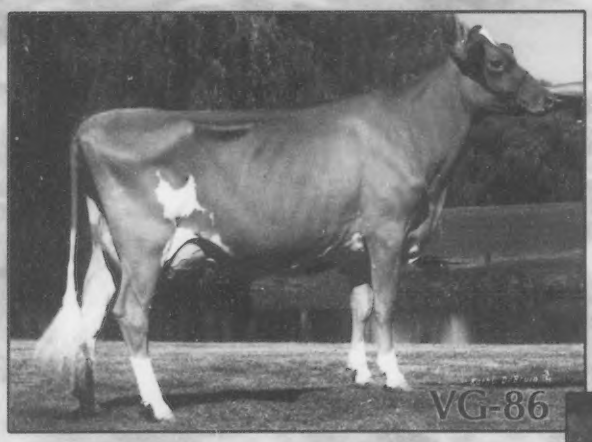

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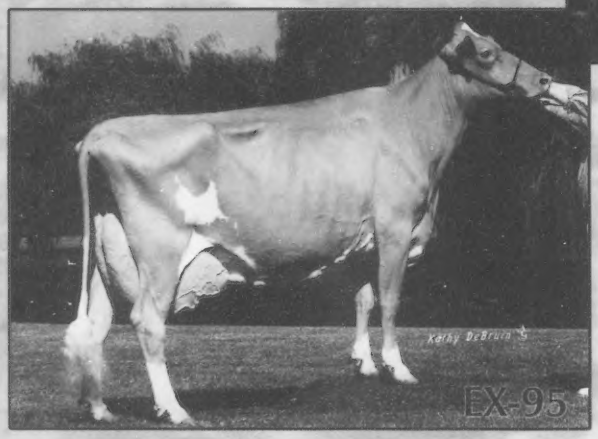

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It is incredibly important that we get good people to run for our board of directors and we as members put thought into who we elect. Just as the little things we do can bring a cow from Good to Great, the ability of our Board Members to set the direction of our Association can make all the difference in how successful we and the Guernsey breed can be. Think about this when you are voting, think about it if you are ever asked to run for the board and, by all means, think about it if you are an AGA Director. It isn't good enough to be simply ***Good*** when a few right moves can make us ***Great.***

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ON THE COVER

Ashlee Dietz of Southington, Ohio, captured R Way Royalty Lil Lacy, a Royalty from R Way Valiant Lil Lady, EX-91. Lacy's sister, Tiller Liz, recently scored EX-94.

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Details of the upcoming National Guernsey Convention are included in this issue. I'd like to encourage you to consider joining us in Texas July 8 - 13. Todd and Deanna Moore of Lavon Farms and their fellow Texans have planned an exciting event that I am sure will be talked about for years to come. This is a great opportunity to get away from the farm for a little while and see a part of the country you may not have visited before. Two days of optional tours to start the convention will feature the main attractions of the Dallas and Ft. Worth areas while the main tour on Saturday will highlight the very best Guernseys in Texas. It is also worth noting that there is a light rail station right next to the hotel, which will allow convention-goers to easily visit Dallas on their own.

The convention is our best opportunity to get together and talk about the issues facing our association. On tap for this year will be committee meetings that address genomic selection in Guernseys, ongoing fine tuning of the appraisal program, improvements to our youth and show activities and ways to better promote the Guernsey cow. We need your input at these meetings in order to consider every idea that may help our breed grow. The Board of Directors puts great stock in the feedback they receive from the committee reports. They meet early on the last day of the convention in order to consider the feedback that has come from the membership through these committees, before the board makes any final decisions on major issues facing the association.

I cannot stress enough how proud we are of the AGA Youth Programs. Your young Guernsey Breeder will find a newly revitalized American Guernsey Youth Program (AGYA) with energetic advisors and youth leaders that are eager to get more of their counterparts involved. Our youth also have the opportunity to compete in a wide variety of contests that showcase their skills - not just their cow skills, but speaking ability, leadership, cow knowledge and teamwork. Bring a youth to convention – they'll get a lot out of it and you may be surprised how much fun you have too! This is a particularly great year for youth to attend as Todd Moore and his family have graciously sponsored the youth trip to Six Flags Over Texas Amusement Park on Thursday and Faria Farms has sponsored the Youth Lunch on Friday during the youth contests.

The main fundraiser of the year for the Guernsey Juniors is the Youth Auction, held immediately following the Youth Banquet on Sunday night. This has always been a great place to find that special piece of Guernsey memorabilia or a special gift for those that stayed home to work during the convention. Although this event raised over $15,000 in 2008, it ended well after midnight. We are grateful for every person that donates an item or buys something in this sale. However, in an effort to shorten the sale a little bit, we are asking that donors limit the items they bring to items with a direct link to Guernseys or agriculture and give consideration to the potential sale value of the item. If you have an item that you'd like to donate but are unsure of how to get it to Texas, give us a call for some help.

The National Sale is shaping up to be as exciting as any sale event we have ever planned. The impressive sale venue will help us showcase the best our breed has to offer. The offering is shaping up to be simply incredible. We are still accepting consignments. We have trucks headed to Texas from the east, Midwest and far west. If you are interested in marketing that special individual, please let us know right away. We'll take care of the rest!

We Like to Consign Heifers that Become Excellent Cows

Previous consignments to the Ozark Jubilee Sale:

2003 ***Moziers Option Annie-ET*** **EX91**
3-02 321D 15,390M 4.4% 671F 3.3% 506P
Purchased by Lavon Farms, TX, and is the dam of Moziers Lux Ann of Lavon Farms, EX92, Reserve Grand at NGS-Madison & Grand at NGS-Louisville.

2006 ***Moziers Turley Tempest*** **EX91**
Purchased by Up The Creek Farm, MN
3-00 306D 15,830M 4.8% 765F 3.5% 559P

2006 ***Moziers Turley Rosalia*** **EX90**
Purchased by Faria Farms, CA
2-02 314D 18,530M 4.4% 824F 3.4% 635P

2007 ***Moziers Vigilant Penelope*** **EX90**
Purchased by Up The Creek Farm, MN
2-00 344D 20,550M 4.4% 895F 2.9% 605P

Consigning this year:

Moziers Spider Terena
Born 9/12/08, from the same cow family as Tempest

Moziers Bam B Imagine
Born 3/20/08, from the same cow family as Moziers Merlin Ingot VG-87 purchased by Faria Farms in the Int. Guernsey Classic. Ingot was 1st Senioir 2-Year-Old at NGS-Sacramento

Moziers Regis Patrick Rosie
Maternal sister to Moziers Vigilant Rosanne VG-88, the dam of Tempest. Rosie is due in July to Turley.

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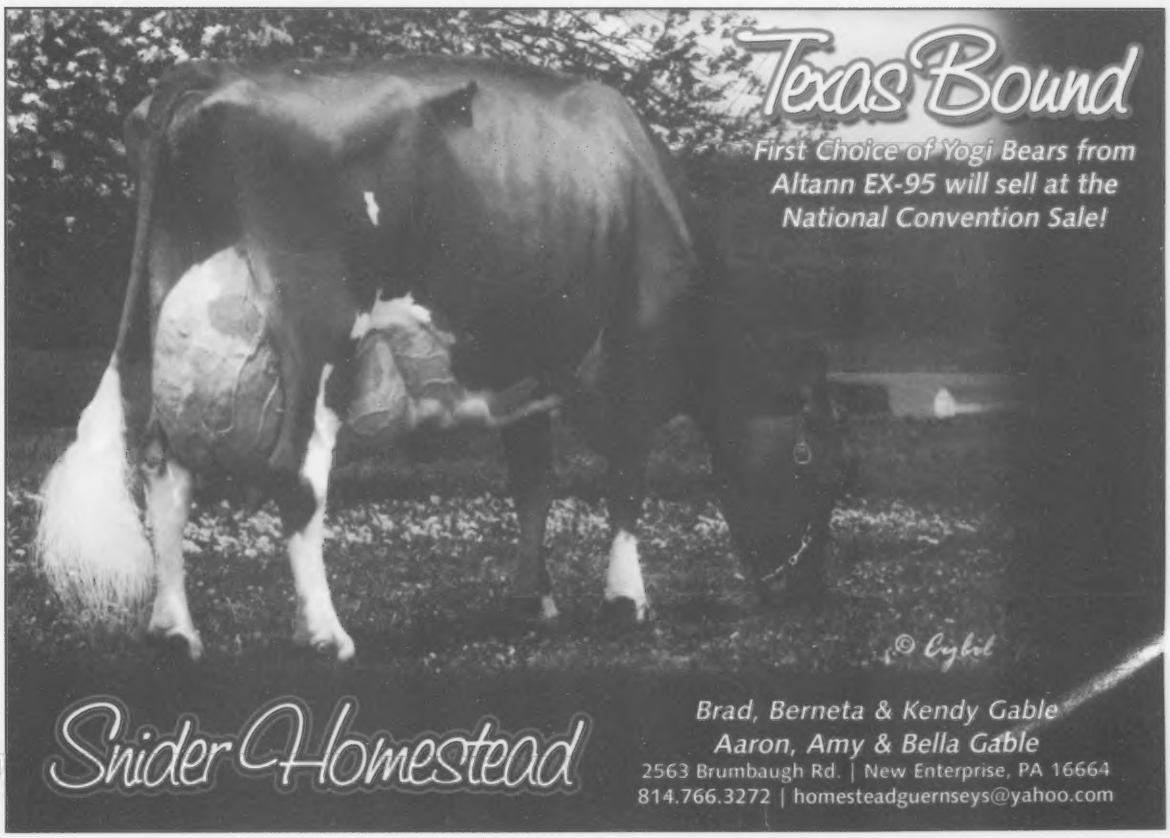
Moziers Lux Andrea-ET born 12/1/07, a blood sister to **Lux Anne**. Dam is a full sister to Lux Anne's dam. Also consigning ***Moziers Tiller Rosario-ET,*** born 12/2/08, from a high testing Sonic, VG-88



Wisconsin's Greatest Guernseys

The state of Wisconsin accounts for about 20% of all the Guernsey activity in the United States. It is home to two of the largest herds in the nation – Jens Gold and Hoard's Dairyman Farm – and to countless small herds that have been cared for by the same families for generations. The state has also been the birthplace for some of the greatest Guernsey cows and bulls in our breed's history. Here is a brief look at some of the most notable that drew their first breath in Wisconsin.

Two EX-95 cows have been bred in Wisconsin and they are both still alive today. While no EX-96 cows were bred in the state, several have called it home.

Majestic Oak Invest Sareen, EX-95, was bred by Donald Lang of Marshfield, Wis.. Although she was not on official test until after her sixth birthday, she still made over 145,000M lifetime. She was the Reserve All-American Aged Cow in 1998 and 2000. Her dam was a Kenmir Nances Baker daughter bred by another Wisconsonite, George Morgan of Cato, Wis. Sareen has 3 high-Very Good daughters. Her EX-90 Tiller granddaughter was Res. All-American Sr. 2-Year-Old in 2006. Sareen is owned by Scott Weisensel of Marshall, Wisconsin.

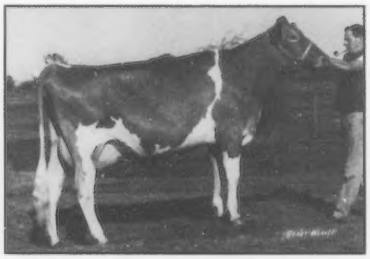
Four Winds Destiny Child, EX-95, is the current star of one of the most storied cow families in Wisconsin (and US) history. She completes three generations of Unanimous All-Americans, going back to the immortal Westlynn Tom Dee, EX-96. Clark and Joy Vilter of Hartland, Wis., have been the stewards of this cow family since Tom Dee arrived on their farm in 1991. Tom Dee finished her career with over 100,000M and currently has 12 Excellent daughters. Destiny Child was the All-American Aged Cow in 2008 and also took home All-American honors in 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2005. She has a top record over 28,000M and has a pair of Very Good daughters to her credit. Destiny Child was named Grand Champion at World Dairy Expo twice, as was a full sister to her dam, **Four Winds Magicman Delight-ET**, EX-94. Delight's top record is over 1,300F and 900P. She has one EX and one VG daughter.

The greatest impact a Guernsey cow can have on the breed is certainly through her sons. Wisconsin has proven adept at producing high impact sires and their dams. Here is a review of some of those cows that have left a lasting legacy, still being felt strongly today through sons and grandsons.

Artie A Jay Silica, EX-94, was the kind of impact cow that comes along too infrequently. She was bred by Artesia Acres of Malone, Wis. She finished with over 110,000M in four lactations, making several class-leading records along the way. She is best known for her sons, **Futuristic Frank Sentry-ET** and **Blossum Hill P Andy Simon-ET** (both bred by Leonard La Roche of Athens, Wis.), but seven of her sons actually received a proof. She had six daughters and all scored VG or EX. Silica was Honorable Mention All-American three years in a row, from 1985 to 1987. She was even Reserve Grand Champion at Madison in 1986. Amazingly, this phenomenal cow had a 68-point dam. However, the dam was the best of her siblings as a sister to the dam was scored 59 points. Silica's grandson by way of her son Sentry, **Lantz Farm Sentry Visa**, was bred in Wisconsin and was recently a popular sire for Semex.

Laeschland TS Biddy, EX-94, is the matriarch of one of the greatest cow families in the breed today. Bred by Phil Laesch of Dorchester, Wis., she made over 167,000M in five lactations with a lifetime 4.7% fat test and 4.0% protein test. She had an 82-point Minnies Choice dam. She had seven sons proven, including **Laeschland Tex Bid**, **Laeschland Choice Adm Bionic** and **Laeschland NPK Breighton-ET**. Adm Bionic is the sire of Wisconsin-bred **Jensgolden Bionic Option**, who in turn is the sire of current #1 Sire, Sniders Option Aaron-ET. Biddy's legacy continues to live on through her impressive female offspring. She was the dam of a pair of EX-92 daughters, one by Pender and the other by Perfecto. **Laeschland Perfect Bliss-ET**, EX-92, has had the most widespread impact. She is the dam of current AI sires Myown Poker Bamboozle-ET and Ripley Farms Hot Shot Bryant-ET. She is also the dam of My Day Bliss Banger-ET and the maternal granddam of Active Sire Millborne Bolero. Bliss was named Grand Champion at World Dairy Expo while simultaneously holding the top spot on the

Artie A Jay Silica



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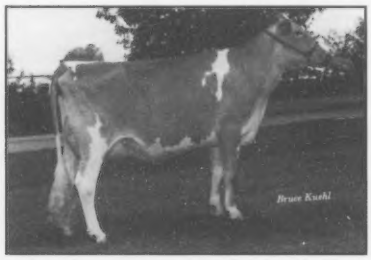

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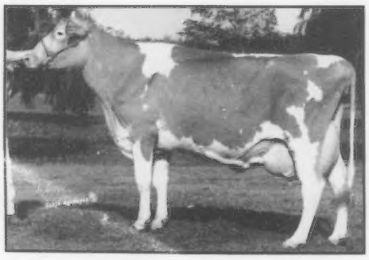
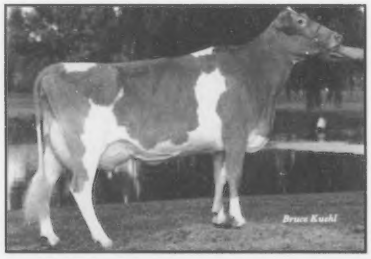


Laeschland TS Biddy

Laeschland Perfecto Bliss



Lang Haven Fortress Natalie

CPI Index list, a feat that has never been equaled. She twice made over 1,300F and 1,000P and has five VG or EX daughters.

Jensgolden Fayette Orianna, EX-92, has contributed mightily to the breed by producing her two well-known sons **Jensgolden Bionic Option** and **Jensgolden Pro King Royal Oak**. Orianna had lifetime totals of 136,000M 4.6% fat and 3.7% protein in six lactations. She was sired by Fayette and was out of a Big Tex daughter that was lost as a two-year-old and was never scored or milked. Orianna had three VG or EX daughters and four that made over 1,000F. She was bred by Dale Jensen of Amery, Wis., prior to his merger with his brother that started Jens Gold Farms LLC. Through her sons, Orianna can claim a legacy in six Active AI Sires – Sniders Option Aaron-ET, **Lantz Farm RO Racers Response-ET** (bred by Jon Lantz of Ellsworth, Wis), Penny Lane Royal Oak Turley, **Coulee Crest RO Silverado-ET** (bred by Kurt Peterson of Cashton, Wis.), Millborne Bolero and Mar Ral Royal Mentor. Royal Oak continues to be a sought-after sire for the impressive type, udders and frames he can sire while improving components.

Jensgolden also contributed to the top side of Royal Oak's pedigree by breeding **Jensgolden V Protein King**. A Harmony Quantity Volcano son, Protein King was out of an EX-90 Maverick daughter that made over 110,000M with 4.7% fat and tested up to 3.9% protein when protein testing was begun. His next dam was scored VG-85 and had over 160,000M lifetime. Although his name implied that high protein would be his forte, Protein King was known for extreme fat test (+.32% PTA), close teat placement and deep rib, along with improvement in protein test.

Jensgolden Volcano Helen, VG-88, took just five lactations to amass a lifetime credit of 109,000M 4.8% fat and 3.8% protein. Her five sons that were AI-sampled proved to be fine investments by the breed. The most notable, **Jensgolden Victory Hunter**, was popular in the US and widely used in England. All nine of Helen's scored daughters are VG or EX. Her dam was a VG-83 Pender, followed by an EX-90 Telestar and a VG-86 Dari Fayvor, both with over 100,000M. **Jens Gold Fort Hudson**, the current #2 CPI Sire, is a great-grandson of Helen by way of his EX-92 Velour dam who is out of a VG-87 Royal Oak daughter of Helen. Both the Velour and Royal Oak have over 100,000M lifetime.

Forhar Magic Show, VG-88, started a cow family that has been well chronicled on the pages of the Guernsey Breeders' Journal. The Forhar Associates (Clark & Joy Vilter, Mike Opperman and John Meyer) of Hartland, Wisconsin, bred this elite cow back in 1994. She is a Nells Glow Admiral Magic daughter out of an EX-93 show-winning Smokey daughter. Magic Show has a top record of over 27,000M and 1,300F. She was developed by Don and Kurt Peterson of Cashton, Wis., at Coulee Crest Farm. She had five sons and five VG or EX daughters. Her VG-88 daughter, **Coulee Crest Enhancer Snow-ET**, has a pair of exciting sons on the Active List – **Coulee Crest Luxury Spider-ET** and **Skipper-ET**. Her daughter, **Coulee Crest Lorry Sarah**, VG-87, made over 1,500F and gave us **Coulee Crest R O Silverado-ET**.

The family behind **Lang Haven Option Nadia**, EX-90, has been bred in Wisconsin for years. The family can be traced back to the state's most famous herd, Hoard's Dairyman Farm in Ft. Atkinson, Wis., but it has been developed as a reliable supplier of valuable sires at the Lang Haven herd of Don and Kathy Langrehr of West Salem, Wis. Nadia was the #1 CPI Cow at one time and is the dam of four VG Tiller full sisters and their two full brothers that are awaiting a proof – Nash and Nick. Nadia has a top record over 37,000M, 2,200F and 1,200P. With over 1,900F in 305 days, she holds the 305-day world record for fat. Her EX-91 dam, **Lang Haven Fortress Natalie**, is the dam of **Lang Haven Luxury Neon**. Natalie's sister is an EX-90 Hot Shot that is the dam of **Lang Haven Decision Natural**. They are both from an EX-90 Perfecto daughter with over 100,000M. The next two dams, both bred by Hoard's Dairyman Farm, are VG-87 and EX-90.

Pierce Farms A Valerie, EX-92, made a top record of over 28,000M, 1,400F and 1,000P, and her two sons have left a lasting impression. **Tamaracks Perfectos Valiant-ET** and **Valor-ET** were purchased by Tamarack Farm in Dousman, Wis., in the recipient heifers that carried them. Valerie and both her sons were bred by John Schumaker of Ellsworth, Wis. Sired by Olympic View Prince Andy-Tw, Valerie was a popular cow in the early 1990s and was owned by several different breeders in Wisconsin. She was the Total

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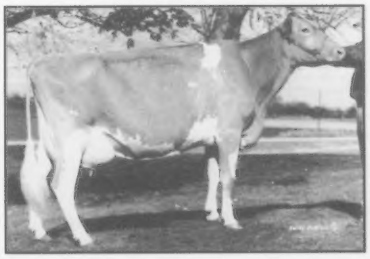
Four Winds Magicman Delight

Four Winds Destiny Child

JensGolden Fayette Orianna

Lang Haven Option Nadia



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Pierce Farms A Valerie

A Word From Your President

Dale Jensen

The spring sale season got off to a great start this year with the Wisconsin Video Calf Sale that was held up here in the Northwest part of our state. This unique sale features calves and heifers that were pictured and measured with snow on the ground, usually on a cold day in December or January. The dam and close family members are also part of the video. In March potential buyers sit back in a warm hotel room with snow still outside the window or from their home anywhere across the country as they decide which heifer or embryo they would like to add to or start a herd of Guernseys with, all viewing the same information and data. Incentives are given to junior members who purchase a calf. The overall quality of the calves and their pedigree coupled with many bidders helped keep the average price close to averages reached in past years.

Hopefully, if you missed the opportunity to buy at this sale, you will be able to attend and find the calf or heifer of your choice at one of the other spring sales coming up. I'm sure Seth or Brian could help you if you are unable to attend in person.

How are you doing in the use of young sires in your herd? This is another great way to improve the genetic level in your herd, even if you like the comfort of only using proven bulls to meet your mating criteria, there will be some young sires with those proven bulls in their pedigree. The quality and diversity of our present group should appeal to each breeder of Guernseys. With this year's lower milk prices, increasing the use of young sires will help lower your semen purchasing costs.

The main two reasons to use young sires in my opinion are to more rapidly increase your herd's genetic levels and help other breeders and yourself have proven bulls with higher reliability proofs. You might even be making a mating that could lead to a future bull mother or an AI sire.

Road Recollections

Brian Schnebly

I am still waiting to see the various second-crop Spider and Skipper daughters throughout the country. Both bulls were used pretty heavily and produced many stylish, show-winning calves and heifers over the past two years. I am anxious to see how they turn out as milking animals but the waiting game continues, at least for me.

In the meantime, there are two bulls that were about the same age or maybe a little older who have various second crop daughters that are now milking. The first one I would like to mention is Nedrow Farms Goliath Legacy. Legacy spent a couple of years on the active list and the entire semen supply was used up on him as breeders tried to tap into the Goliath blood that has proven to be such an asset to the Guernsey breed. Legacy was also one of the first bulls to be defined as "High Net Merit". I have seen a lot of daughters around and they are just what I would have expected out of a Goliath son. They are solid young cows with balanced frames that consist of ample width and substance with moderate stature. They could be a little sharper and more angular but have decent openness to the rib with adequate depth of rib. The udders are very functional with strong attachments and a good teat placement. In addition, I would say that breeder satisfaction of the Legacy daughters is high. I have spoken with several people specifically about the Legacy daughters and the comment is "they are not my wettest two-year-olds but I think they will last." Looking back at what we now know about the Goliath daughters, this type of foresight might have kept many Goliath daughters from leaving herds at a young age.

Another bull that has second crop daughters popping up around the country is Lang Haven Luxury Neon. Early on, I failed to see a lot of consistency with the Neon daughters; however, the second crop daughters seem to follow a pattern. They are very dairy in appearance, being sharp and clean throughout with angular front ends. Their milk backs up the appearance as Neon daughters are doing well when compared to herdmates and that proves his numbers don't lie. Neon was one of the top milk bulls on the active A.I. list for the past few years. The Neon daughters are average or below average for stature and they lack a little strength and width. However, this lack of width usually does not affect the rear udder as the Neon daughters generally have a high, wide rear udder, something that was also evident in daughters of his sire, Luxury. The one area that does concern me about the Neon daughters is they are usually below average for components. You certainly want to use a higher component bull when mating your Neon daughters.

Throughout my recent travels I have seen several more daughters of Lang Haven Decisions Natural. I was convinced of what he could do before but now I am definitely sure that he is a bull that will do the breed some good. Do not hesitate because his sire and maternal grandsire were known for deep udders. The Natural daughters are not that way at all and he provides us with outcross potential. The Natural daughters are a little above average for stature with style and balance. The have strong loins and a flat, level rump with adequate width throughout. The udders on the Natural daughters have been the most pleasing aspect because I too had my doubts at first based on his pedigree. The Natural daughters have very shallow udders and strong udder attachments. I have seen several now in their second lactation and have heard about a couple of others and they are maturing very well thanks to the strength of those udder attachments. Another attraction to Natural are his components, most notably being one of the top three bulls on the active A.I. list for protein percent. When using Natural it will not hurt to stay away from a cow with a deeper udder; however, do not let the Decision/Hot Shot cross make you shy away completely. The proof is in the Natural offspring. They are scoring well and there should be a few more pictured in the near future to prove this point further.

2009 National Convention Tours

Dallas Area Tours – Wednesday, July 8

Buses will leave the hotel at 10 am for a day spent in the Dallas area. The first stop of the day with be the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza, the site of the assassination of John F. Kennedy. **The Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza** is located on the sixth and seventh floors of an early 20th-century warehouse known in 1963 as the Texas School Book Depository. Opened on Presidents Day 1989, the Museum has since welcomed more than 6 million visitors from around the world—people of all ages seeking information and understanding about the assassination of President John F. Kennedy on November 22, 1963. Museum tours are self-guided.

The tour will then visit the **Lucky Layla Farms** processing plant. The plant, located in Garland, Texas, is where Lucky Layla produces their award winning cheese and butter as well as their signature product - drinkable yogurt. In January 2004, Todd Moore and Edgar Diaz created a partnership called Moo Cheeses LP. Todd Moore, a third generation dairyman from Lavon Farms in Plano, Texas, wanted to see the high quality milk from his award-winning Guernsey and Jersey cows turned into a premium artisan dairy product. Edgar Diaz, with 20 years of experience in the milk processing business, could make it happen. The result has been award-winning artisan dairy products under the Lucky Layla Farms brand. Each of their products are all-natural and handcrafted. Their goal is to provide you, through supportive retailers, the healthiest farm-fresh locally-made dairy products available. Visitors will be treated to lunch at the plant.

The tour will then proceed to **Southfork Ranch**, the original site of the long-running TV show "Dallas". In 1978, a legend was created that would virtually be unmatched by any other series in television history. It would go on to take the world by storm, accumulating millions of fans along the way and propelling an unknown Texas ranch into one recognized around the world. Viewers across the globe would await each twist in the series, knowing the television family as well as their own. The series was "Dallas," the family the Ewings, and the ranch that was home to it all was Southfork.

The last stop of the day will be a visit to **Lavon Farms** in Plano, Texas. While the majority of the Lavon Farms milking herd will be housed at a new dairy in Emory, Texas, a portion of the herd will still be at the original farm in Plano. Visitors will be able to view the sale lineup for the Partner Profit Sale, to be held on Monday, July 13 at the farm.

The President's Reception dinner will be held at the hotel on Wednesday evening.

Ft. Worth Area Tours – Thursday, July 9

This will be an exciting day for youth as the Todd Moore Family has graciously sponsored an outing for AGA Junior Members to Six Flags Over Texas amusement park in Arlington, Texas. The bus will leave at 8 am for this outing and will return by 4 pm. Lunch will be on your own at the park.

Buses will leave at 8 am for the main tour to the Ft. Worth Area. For the first stop visitors will have two choices.

Option A – **Fort Worth Botanic Gardens.** The 10 themed gardens include a rose garden, a native Texas woodland boardwalk, a Japanese garden and a conservatory.

Option B – Three different museums will be within walking distance on this stop. The **Amon Carter Museum** was established through the generosity of Amon G. Carter Sr. (1879–1955) to house his collection of paintings and sculpture by Frederic Remington and Charles M. Russell; to collect, preserve, and exhibit the finest examples of American art; and to serve an educational role through exhibitions, publications, and programs devoted to the study of American art. **The Fort Worth Museum of Science and History** is dedicated to lifelong learning and is anchored by rich collections, the museum engages a diverse community through creative, vibrant programs and exhibits interpreting science and the stories of Texas and the Southwest. The museum experience includes an IMAX Theatre and a planetarium. **The Cowgirl Hall of Fame Museum** offers a glimpse into the lives of America's cowgirls. It is the only museum in the world dedicated to honoring women of the American West who have displayed extraordinary courage and pioneer spirit in their trail blazing efforts. Since it was established in 1975, the Museum has become an invaluable educational resource nationally known for its exhibits, research library, rare photography collection, and the honorees in its Hall of Fame

All visitors will then convene at the **Ft. Worth Stockyards** historical area. This area offers a variety of shopping opportunities and the chance to revisit the exciting heritage of a bygone era of cattle, sheep and hog marketing. Lunch will be on your own at one of the many dining options within the historic district.

The main tour will return to the hotel by 4 pm. A dinner with entertainment will be held at the hotel.

Visitors may choose to stay in the Ft. Worth area for dinner on your own, followed by an outing to the world famous **Billy Bob's Honky Tonk**. Billed as the world's largest Honky Tonk, Billy Bob's features a bull riding arena within it's walls and a taste of real Texas nightlife. Transportation back to the hotel will be provided later in the evening.

Youth Contests & Meetings – Friday, July 10

Friday is devoted to the many Youth Contests that are held annually at the convention. Youth will spend the day competing against, and forming lasting friendships with, their counterparts from across the country. The adults can spend the day attending various committee meetings. Please keep in mind that all the committee meetings are open to any AGA member and that important and interesting discussions about the future of the breed and our association are held at all of them.

The AGA Awards Banquet will be held on Friday night. AGA Production awards will be presented as well as the Outstanding Young Farmer, AGA Master Breeder Award and the AGA Distinguished Service Award.

East Texas Tours – Saturday, July 10

Buses will leave the hotel at 8 am for a day spent in east Texas. The first stop of the day will be the new **Lavon Farms Dairy** in Emory, Texas. Started in the Dallas suburb of Plano, urban pressure has finally forced the Moore family to move their dairy operation east. The farm today is run by Todd and Deanna Moore with the next generation, Madison and Mason, waiting in the wings. Their brand new state-of-the-art 400-cow dairy is now home to the Lavon Farms Guernsey herd along with a smaller herd of Jerseys. Lavon Farms has a long history of breeding outstanding Guernsey cows. They have exhibited many All-Americans in recent years. They farm also has an extensive embryo transfer program that includes using a herd of beef cows as recipients. The second stop of the day will by **Rainbow Farm,** Sulphur Springs, Texas, owned by Gary and Liz Ebers. The Ebers moved from the northeast and started their dairy from scratch. They rely on extremely limited housing and graze the cows year-round. They milk about 40 Registered Guernseys along with some Holsteins. They have periodically dispersed the Holstein milk cows and repopulated that portion of the herd with their heifers, while maintaining the Guernsey herd. They are the breeders of Rainbow Goliath Gemini, EX-94, a Res All-American in 2004 and Honorable Mention in 2005. Several of her family members remain on the farm. The tour will then proceed to the **Southwest Dairy Museum** in Sulphur Springs, Texas. Lunch will be served at the museum while visitors have the chance to see a bit of the dairy history of Texas. The Southwest Dairy Farmers is an alliance of dairy farmers from Texas, New

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National Convention Schedule

Wednesday, July 8

8 am – 9 p.m. Registration & Hospitality
10:00 am Dallas Area Tour
7:00 pm President's Reeeption Dinner

Thursday, July 9

7:00 a.m. Breakfast
7:30 a.m. Registration & Hospitality open
8:00 a.m. AGA Board Meeting
8:00 a.m. Ft. Worth Area Tour
8:00 a.m. Six Flags Youth Outing
4:00 p.m. Return From Tour
4:30 p.m. Youth Committee Meeting
5:00 p.m. Guernsey Foundation Meeting
6:00 p.m. Youth Contest Orientations
7:00 p.m. Welcome to Texas Dinner

Friday, July 10

7:00 a.m. Breakfast
7:30 a.m. Volunteer Orientation
8:00 a.m. Registration & Hospitality open
8:00 a.m. Quiz Bowl Competition
8:00 a.m. Genetics Committee Meeting
8:00 a.m. Type Committee Meeting
10:00 a.m. Dairybelt Committee Meeting
10:00 a.m. Golden Guernsey Comm. Meeting
Noon Youth Lunch
1:00 p.m. Quiz Bowl Finals
1:00 p.m. United Guernsey Genetics Meeting
1:00 p.m. Youth Speaking Contest
1:00 p.m. Show Committee Open Forum
2:00 p.m. Show Committee Meeting
4:00 p.m. Youth Interviews
4:00 p.m. Resolution Committee Meeting
4:00 p.m. Reproduction Committee Mtg
7:00 p.m. AGA Awards Dinner

Saturday, July 11

7:00 a.m. Registration & Hospitality open
8:00 a.m. East Texas Tours
4:30 p.m. Return From Tour
6:00 p.m. Slow Foods Dinner

Sunday, July 12

7:00 a.m. Breakfast
7:30 a.m. Registration & Hospitality open
8:00 a.m. Church Service
11:00 a.m. National Convention Sale
5:00 p.m. Youth Banquet & Auction

Monday, July 13

7:00 a.m. Breakfast
7:00 a.m. AGA Board Meeting
8:00 a.m. Youth Annual Meeting
10:00 a.m. AGA Annual Meeting
2:00 p.m. Partner Profit Sale, Lavon Farms

National Convention Registration Form

Dallas, Texas 2009

Name(s): _____ Age: _____

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If Flying into Dallas - Arrival Time & Airport _____

Farm Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Persons in party willing to judge Youth contests on Friday: _____

	Early (June 10) Registration	Late Registration	Number Attending	Total $
Wednesday, July 8				
Breakfast	$10	$15	____	____
Dallas Area Tour & Lunch	$30	$35	____	____
President's Reception	$20	$30		
Thursday, July 9				
Breakfast	$10	$15	____	____
Ft. Worth Area Tour & Lunch on Own	$20	$30	____	____
Option A – Botanic Garden ____	*Option B – Museums* ____			
Youth Outing - Six Flags Over Texas	Free (signup required)		____	____
Dinner at Hotel				
13 and over	$20	$25	____	____
12 and under	$16	$20	____	____
Evening at Billy Bob's in Ft. Worth	$10	$10	____	____
Friday, July 10				
Breakfast	$10	$15	____	____
Youth Lunch	Free	$5	____	____
Adult Lunch	$15	$20	____	____
AGA Awards Banquet				
13 and over	$20	$25	____	____
12 and under	$15	$20	____	____
Saturday, July 11				
East Texas Tours & Lunch	$20	$25	____	____
Slow Foods Dinner	$20	$25	____	____
Sunday, July 12				
Breakfast	$10	$15	____	____
Youth Banquet				
13 and over	$20	$25	____	____
12 and under	$17	$21	____	____
Monday, July 13				
Breakfast	$10	$15	____	____
Shuttle to Partner Profit Sale	$5	$5	____	____

Total Amount: $_____

Please contact us with any Dietary Restrictions

Early registrations must be postmarked by June 10, 2009. Make checks payable to: Texas Guernsey Breeders.

Completed registration forms and checks should be mailed to: Texas GBA, 3721 N. Jupiter Rd., Plano, Texas 75074.

Hotel reservations should be made directly with the Renaissance Hotel Richardson, Texas phone 972-367-2000. Room rates are $109 for single and double occupancy. These rates are guaranteed only through June 17, 2009. Mention that you are with the National Guernsey Convention to obtain these rates.

We reccomend flying Southwest Airlines into Dallas Love Field for the best travelling experience into Dallas.

For questions visit www.usguernsey.com/09convention.htm or contact Deanna Moore at 214-205-8449.

Notice of the 133rd Annual Meeting

The 133rd annual meeting of the American Guernsey Association will be held at the Renaissance Dallas Richardson in Richardson, Texas, on Monday, July 13, 2009. The business of the meeting will be the election of members to the board of directors, the reports of the president and the executive secretary-treasurer, recommendations of the board and other matters relating to the AGA and its activities.

Ballots for the elections of members to the board of directors and a brief resume relating to the nominees will be mailed to active members at least thirty (30) days prior to the annual meeting.

Ballot A is for the election of a Director for District Two in the states of Pennsylvania and Ohio. These ballots are mailed to, and may only be used for voting by, Active members.

Ballot B is for election of a Director from District Six in the states of Alabama, Florida, Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. These ballots are mailed to, and may only be used for voting by, Active members.

Ballot C is for the election of a Director at Large. This ballot will be mailed to all Active Members.

The Bylaws require the use of ballots in the election of directors and adoption of amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws. Proxies may not be used for these purposes.

In order to be counted, each ballot must be returned in the envelope provided. The envelope must be signed by the voting member before delivery. As stated in the Constitution, "Active members not attending the annual meeting may vote by mailing their ballots to the executive secretary for delivery to the home office no later than 10 days prior to the annual meeting, or to the Election Committee at the place of the annual meeting, providing that no such ballots shall be accepted by the Election Committee later than noon of the day prior to the annual meeting. These ballots shall be counted with the ballots of active members present and voting during the annual meeting."

The signed-and-sealed ballot envelope should be placed in the envelope and submitted by return mail to the executive secretary-treasurer at the American Guernsey Association, 7614 Slate Ridge Blvd., P.O. Box 666, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-0666. Ballots mailed to the headquarters office are to be received by July 2, 2009.

The sealed ballot envelope can be mailed in an envelope or hand delivered to the chairman of the Election Committee, American Guernsey Association, Renaissance Dallas-Richardson, 900 E. Lookout, Richardson, Texas 75082. Hand delivered ballots or ballots mailed to the national convention site must be received by 8 a.m. on Sunday, July 12, 2009.

Annual Meeting Notice To Be Mailed

The notice of the 133rd American Guernsey Association annual meeting will be mailed in May to all AGA active members. Active members who are individuals shall be entitled to one (1) vote at any meeting of the Association. Only individuals who are active members shall be entitled to hold office in the Association. The AGA Constitution defines an active member as:

"A membership shall retain its full term, but be classified active or inactive as follows:

(a) An active member shall be one in which at least one application for registration in the name of the membership; or at least one application for transfer of ownership into the name of the membership shall have been received by the Herd Register Department of the American Guernsey Association within two (2) years prior to January 1, preceding an annual meeting.

(b) A membership shall be declared inactive when there has not been received in the Herd Register Department of the Association at least one application for registration in the name of the membership; or at least one application for transfer of ownership into the name of the membership within two (2) calendar years prior to January 1, preceding an annual meeting.

(c) A membership having been classified as inactive shall automatically be reinstated to active status upon fulfilling the requirements of section (a), defining active status.

(d) An individual membership of an individual, who is a shareholder, partner or other joint ownership arrangement that is a member, shall be classified as an active membership if at least one application for registration in the name of the corporation, partnership or joint ownership membership or at least one application for transfer of ownership into the corporation, partnership or joint ownership arrangement shall have been received by the Herd Register Department of the American Guernsey Association within the two (2) calendar years prior to January 1 preceding an annual meeting, provided that the corporations, partnership or joint owners files with and maintains with the Executive Secretary of the Association, a current and complete list of all shareholders, partners and joint owners."

The envelope to be mailed contains a notice of the 133rd annual meeting, convention schedule and reservation form. Also enclosed will be ballots for the director elections.

Any active member not receiving a ballot by June 1, should contact the American Guernsey Association at 7614 Slate Ridge Blvd., P.O. Box 666, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-0666, or call the office at (614) 864-2409 during office hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. eastern daylight time, M-F.

Guernsey Breeders' Journal Subscription Form

Send Check to: Guernsey Breeders' Journal, 7616 Slate Ridge Blvd., Reynoldsburg, OH 43068

❑ 1 Year, 2nd Class - $20 ❑ 3 Years, 2nd Class - $50 ❑ 1 Year, 1st Class - $40

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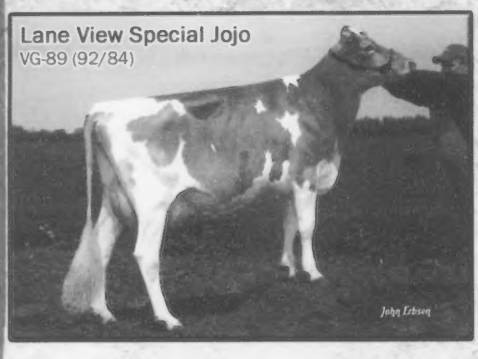
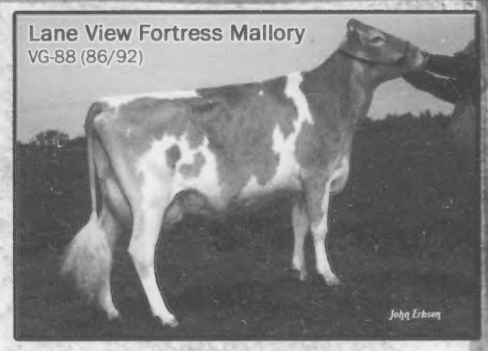
Classification Highlights



Lane View Special Jojo
VG-89 (92/84)



Lane View Fortress Mallory
VG-88 (86/92)

Recent Classification Highlights

Lang Haven Tiller Normie VG-87 (86/87) Tiller x EX-90 Option
Lane View Fortress Mallory VG-88 (86/92) Fortress x VG Ole
Lane View Fortress Midge EX-90 (91/86) Fortress x Nitro
Lane View Lewis Midget EX-88 (90/87) Lewis x VG-85 Nitro
Valley Gem Spiders Hannah VG-86 (91/78) 2yr Spider x EX-91 Saber
Fish Creek VC Wil Lauren VG-87 (89/80) 2yr Villa Crest Will x Royal Oak
Valley Gem Hulks Faith EX-91 (93/90) Hulk x VG-88 Fruitloop

Sisters

Lane View Special Jojo VG-89 (92/84) Special x Harley
Lane View Lewis Joann EX-90 (92/86) Lewis x Harley

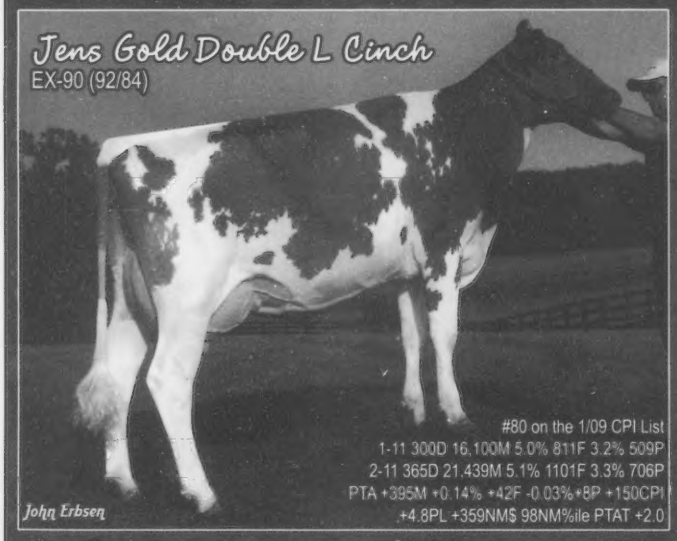
We have a Magicman Fall Yearling from Faith, a Spider sister and four Mentor sisters. Even though she scored EX91, we still think she's better than that! Faith does her job everyday in our freestall with no extra pampering. She's the kind we are breeding for. We'll be flushing Faith soon. *Call with inquiries!*

Thank you to Walnut Corner Farm of Illinois for purchasing our embryos in the WI Video Sale. We are still flushing Sniders Sharp Daze, EX-91. Inquiries welcome. Her Aaron daughter Valley Gem Aarons Delila scored VG-87 (87/90) at 2 yrs.

Valley Gem Farms The Grewe Family

952 19th Ave | Cumberland, WI 54829 | 715 822 5606 | grewcrew@centurytel.net

Texas Bound for The National Sale



Jens Gold Double L Cinch
EX-90 (92/84)

#80 on the 1/09 CPI List
1-11 300D 16,100M 5.0% 811F 3.2% 509P
2-11 365D 21,439M 5.1% 1101F 3.3% 706P
PTA +395M +0.14% +42F -0.03% +8P +150CPI
+4.8PL +359NM$ 98NM%ile PTAT +2.0

Kelly Says:

"We hope her Aaron will be a Fourth Generation Excellent in your herd!"

Sire:
Pine Ridge Double L

Dam:
Jens Gold Sharp Cinder EX-91(91/90)

G'Dam:
Level Gold Jazzman Opalee EX-90(85/95

Her Aaron Sells!

11th Ozark Jubilee Guernsey Sale

11:00 a.m. (Central time) | Saturday, May 16th, 2009 | College of the Ozarks | Branson, MO

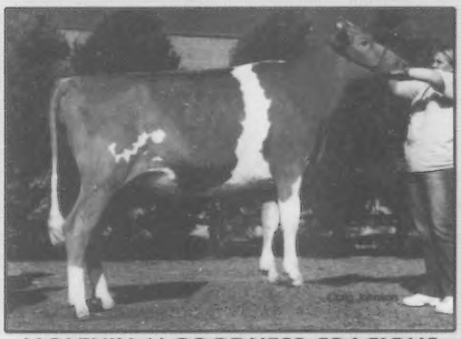
SPRING RIVER ROYAL HAPPY EX-95
One of the most consistent campaigners anywhere, Happy now has over 100,000M. A Regis Patrick calf sells from her EX-91 Bossman Dam! *Kenlee Calvin, MO*

CHUPPS FARM GOLDSTAR DAZZLE EX-94
Lifetime: 130,940M 3.7% 4,888F 3.3% 4,355P
All-American Aged Cow 2004 & 2006
Two special offerings from Dazzle's family. A Tiller from Dazzle's VG-85 (88MS) Mentor daughter. *Adams Creek, WI.*
A fresh Showtime from her VG-84 Money. *Springer Dairy, MO*

OMALLEY HILLPOINT SKIP CLASSY
A Mission sister to Classy's VG-87 dam sells from their EX-90 Perfecto dam with over 130,000M lifetime.
Lone Acres, WI

SUNRISE FARM TT JESSICA, EX-90
2-00 365D 17,200M 4.7% 801F 3.2% 557P
Nom. All-American Jr. 2 '07 | Hm Jr. All-American Jr. 3 '08
Her Summer Yearling Sells. *Croshaw & Nicley, KY*

MOZIERS TURLEY TEMPEST, EX-91
Res. Jr. All-American Jr. 3 '07
A Spider Fall Calf sells from this outstanding family. *Moziers, KS*



MOLEHILL V GOODNESS GRACIOUS
Nom. Jr. All-American Summer Yearling '05
She sells! Her Mr America dam was HM All-American, then a VG-89 cow with 25,000M! *Croshaw & Berryman, KY*

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Official Quarterly Production Records

The following list is composed of cows which have completed records for milk, fat and protein in the first quarter of 2009 which are 30% higher than the TPE lactation average for 2008. The minimum levels for inclusion on this list are 21,494M 957F 711P.

ARIZONA

SHAMROCK FARMS COMPANY, STANFIELD. AZ

SHAMROCK LUXURY CATHE	6-01	305	2X	24620	3.9%	964	2.8% 698

CALIFORNIA

NELLS GLOW GUERNSEYS, HILMAR, CA

NELLS GLOW JULES TIRA	4-08	305	2X	22680	4.5%	1022	3.3% 738
NELLS GLOW TILLER ELISSA	4-04	305	2X	21640	3.9%	844	3.2% 689

BAY MEADOW FARMS, GALT, CA

BAY MEADOW HAZELS JEN BABE	4-09	305	2X	24320	4.2%	1013	3.1% 763
BAY MEADOW LORD SAMMIE	5-03	305	2X	21140	4.6%	974	3.5% 740

MADSEN LINDA LEE, TEMECULA, CA

MILKY WAY LOGIC HAZEL	6-07	305	2X	25760	4.9%	1259	3.4% 877

INDIANA

VILLA CREST FARM, GOSHEN, IN

QUALITY QUEST MENTOR PRIZE ET	2-05	305	2X	23050	4.4%	1017	3.0% 692
VILLA CREST FAME REBA	5-06	305	2X	24070	4.3%	1044	3.1% 755
VILLA CREST DIRECT ANGELIQUE	5-06	222	2X	21650	4.0%	876	2.8% 608

YELLOW CREEK FARM, GOSHEN, IN

YELLOW CREEK TILLER BESS	3-10	305	2X	20170	4.9%	986	3.6% 720

ILLINOIS

ERDMAN MARK & ESTES GARY, CHENOA, IL

MOZIERS LUXURY REYNA	2-02	305	2X	20190	4.9%	982	3.4% 687

IOWA

ROLLING PRAIRIE FARM, GARNAVILLO, IA

ROLLING PRAIRIE DAWNIKA	3-06	305	2X	24860	3.8%	938	2.7% 682

KNAPP D RANDY & FAMILY, EPWORTH, IA

KNAPPS VILTER JACQUELIN	3-02	305	2X	24100	4.1%	1000	2.9% 710
KNAPPS SENTRY ALFA ET	6-10	305	2X	26720	4.2%	1132	3.1% 828
KNAPPS LORRY OPINION	9-05	305	2X	31810	3.5%	1100	3.0% 942
KNAPPS ACE MISS BEAUTIFUL	4-11	305	2X	23540	4.5%	1056	3.1% 719

OAK KNOB GUERNSEYS, CRESCO, IA

OAK KNOB F FRISKY	3-08	305	2X	21610	4.5%	970	3.4% 731
OAK KNOB MAXIE HONESTY	3-07	305	2X	22910	4.8%	1100	3.4% 777
OAK KNOB TILLER WHIRL	3-06	305	2X	19570	5.2%	1015	3.4% 670
OAK KNOB MASTER BOO BOO	5-09	305	2X	20360	4.8%	983	3.5% 709
OAK KNOB MASTER BLESS	5-05	305	2X	17120	5.8%	985	3.6% 618
PR-OAK KNOB BANGER ZANY	6-11	305	2X	23030	3.7%	859	2.9% 668
OAK KNOB ROYALTY ASTEROID	5-00	305	2X	21030	4.4%	932	3.6% 754
GR-OAK KNOB POKER OZONE	4-10	305	2X	24820	4.4%	1103	3.4% 836

KANSAS

SACK NANCY BOEHLE, BALDWIN CITY, KS

BOEHLES HICKORY TOOTSY	6-08	305	2X	22370	3.8%	846	2.8% 630
BOEHLES FORTRESS LISA	5-04	305	2X	21900	3.4%	752	3.0% 653
MOZIER BOEHLE LUXURY BELLE	5-01	305	2X	22640	3.9%	875	3.0% 677
MOZIERS VIGILANT INALEE	4-02	305	2X	20360	4.6%	945	3.5% 717

MAINE

BAILEY THOMAS M, NEW SHARON, ME

PR-BY GRACE POKER GIANNA	3-10	305	2X	21820	3.7%	803	3.3% 713

MARYLAND

BUCK GABRIELLE B, PORT DEPOSIT, MD

MT ARARAT MAGICMAN INDIANA	5-05	305	3X	22630	3.7%	831	3.4% 767
MT ARARAT SMOKEY HALO	6-03	305	3X	28010	4.4%	1221	3.0% 851

FENDRICK PATRICK, GERMANTOWN, MD

THREE BROOKS RON RAWANDA	3-11	305	2X	21760	4.7%	1017	3.6% 780

SMITH OSCAR CLAY, JEFFERSON, MD

OCS DAIRY DIAMOND Q TIP ET	5-03	305	2X	23150	5.6%	1298	3.5% 801

MINNESOTA

JOHNSON G+MCDERMOTT D+OLSON LYDIA, CLAREMONT, MN

MARSHALLANE LEWIS HARMONY	4-05	305	2X	24310	4.6%	1129	3.5% 850

LUEBKE THOMAS & FAMILY, MAYER, MN

EDGEWATER MEADOWS REGIS DORIS	5-00	305	2X	21390	4.8%	1033	3.2% 677

ANDERSON DAVID & DONNA, LESTER PRAIRIE, MN

UP THE CREEK HAWKS ATTACK	3-05	305	2X	23420	3.9%	916	3.2% 739

NELSON CASEY, ELLENDALE, MN

BROOKHAVEN RONS CALSI	5-07	305	2X	26570	3.5%	941	2.9% 761

LASKA RICHARD K & FAMILY, WINONA, MN

MARSHALLANE TILLER DIXIE	3-11	305	2X	19620	4.9%	968	3.0% 589

MISSOURI

DIX LEE FARM, PHILLIPSBURG, MO

DIX LEE FAYVOR VANILLA	5-05	305	2X	21660	4.7%	1011	3.0% 658
PR-DIX LEE GARGOYLE FRY BABY	6-10	305	2X	21950	3.7%	805	3.4% 754
PR-DIX LEE GARGOYLE FIZZIE	8-00	305	2X	22510	4.3%	971	3.5% 790

NEW YORK

RIPLEY FARM, CORTLAND, NY

RIPLEY FARMS RC LEILA	4-08	305	3X	18510	5.3%	984	3.4% 625
GT-RIPLEY FARMS MP ZELDA	4-02	305	3X	23610	4.0%	951	3.0% 699
GT-RIPLEY FARMS CAR OMELLO	2-03	305	3X	24720	3.9%	954	3.3% 817
GT-RIPLEY FARMS SUNRISE ADJUSU	2-04	305	3X	22350	4.2%	932	3.1% 697

COON BROS., AMENIA, NY

SMITHFIELD TILLER DEENA	4-02	305	2X	22830	5.0%	1152	3.2% 725
SMITHFIELD POKER SHINE	4-07	305	2X	21780	3.9%	857	3.0% 661
SMITHFIELD BANGER ADAIR	3-05	302	2X	21070	5.0%	1051	3.1% 648

OHIO

AYARS JOHN & SONS+MANION DR KENNY, MECHANICSBURG, OH

GR-MAR KE FAVRE DESIGN	6-11	305	2X	31520	3.5%	1096	2.6% 816

HERSHBERGER JONATHAN, MILLERSBURG, OH

HERSHYS TESSA POINSETTA	3-03	305	2X	23680	4.0%	945	3.2% 765

SPRING WALK FARM, BIG PRAIRIE, OH

GT-SPRING WALK FLOWER	2-02	305	2X	23590	5.1%	1204	3.0% 710

OREGON

SPENCER SETH & SHARI, LEBANON, OR

GT-SPENCER FARM LEWIS WILLOW	4-02	305	2X	21860	4.6%	1011	3.6% 779

MANN ALAN & BARBARA, SILVERTON, OR

ABIQUA ACRES STARDUST BLUEJAY	4-03	305	2X	22310	4.3%	964	0.0% 0
ABIQUA ACRES REGIS BONZI	5-02	305	2X	22310	3.8%	856	3.3% 747
ABIQUA ACRES REGIS JOEY	5-03	305	2X	21990	3.5%	775	2.9% 627
ABIQUA ACRES LEWIS NIKKI	4-09	305	2X	23070	3.9%	889	3.3% 768

WILSONVIEW DAIRY INC, TILLAMOOK, OR

WILSONVIEW ALIANCE IRENE	3-05	305	2X	23570	3.4%	793	2.6% 623
WILSONVIEW TILLER SAMPLER	4-08	305	2X	23090	4.5%	1034	3.1% 717
WILSONVIEW TILLER MARS	3-05	305	2X	21160	4.7%	989	3.3% 693

MARSH HOMESTEAD INC, CORNELIUS, OR

HOMESTEAD FARO CINNAMON	4-11	305	2X	24420	4.3%	1059	3.3% 802
HOMESTEAD LEWIS ROSEMARY	4-05	305	2X	20910	4.7%	977	3.2% 660

PENNSYLVANIA

SNIDER HOMESTEAD, NEW ENTERPRISE, PA

GT-SNIDERS DIVIDEND FOCUS	7-03	305	2X	23390	3.9%	919	3.1% 717

SOLLENBERGER KEVIN, SPRING CITY, PA

GREEN SLOPES MELINDA MYKAYLA	9-00	291	2X	20160	4.4%	889	3.7% 743

PIFER MARK A, REYNOLDSVILLE, PA

PARADISE ACRES TILLER NECTOR	3-11	305	2X	23750	4.5%	1069	3.2% 762

WARWICK MANOR, EAST EARL, PA

WARWICK MANOR GOLDUST STACIE	3-08	305	2X	22160	3.7%	825	2.7% 598
SOLID GOLD VILTER ADELE ET	4-01	305	2X	21910	4.3%	943	3.2% 708
WARWICK MANOR GOLDUST BUTTON	3-01	305	2X	18470	5.4%	995	3.5% 639

MUSSER CASSANDRA M, ENON VALLEY, PA

GR-CRESCENT MAPLES S WILLOW	3-05	305	2X	24860	4.4%	1084	3.1% 783

TROTACRE FARM, ENON VALLEY, PA

TROTACRE LOCK KANDI	3-08	305	3X	24150	4.3%	1050	2.9% 700

WALKER JOSEPH A, MEYERSDALE, PA

THREE BROOKS FRITZ CADI	3-06	305	2X	21690	5.4%	1172	3.6% 789

WASHINGTON

VANDER VEEN BROOKE, EVERSON, WA

DAIRY O KURTIS RITZ BITS	5-04	305	3X	24030	4.2%	1007	3.4% 806

ROZELYN FARM, LYNDEN, WA

ROZELYN MAXI JOY	6-06	305	2X	22650	4.8%	1079	3.2%	718

WISCONSIN

VALLEY GEM FARM, CUMBERLAND, WI

LANE VIEW FORTRESS ROSITA	4-00	305	3X	21310	5.1%	1086	3.4%	717
LANE VIEW LORAL RUBY	5-07	305	3X	22030	5.0%	1104	3.0%	656

SCHULER DUANE P, PLATTEVILLE, WI

DONNYBROOK L ERMA	5-10	305	2X	22190	4.0%	885	3.2%	709
DONNYBROOK L JANE	9-01	305	2X	25550	3.9%	985	2.8%	716
DONNYBROOK H DONNA	6-00	305	2X	24330	4.1%	1009	3.1%	753
DONNYBROOK D CUPCAKE	3-09	305	2X	28190	3.6%	1014	2.7%	774
DONNYBROOK R JAM	3-08	305	2X	25480	3.9%	998	2.9%	728

HOARDS DAIRYMAN FARM, FORT ATKINSON, WI

DAIRYMAN TILLER CAMELIA	3-09	305	2X	18950	5.2%	988	3.8%	711
DAIRYMAN JB DIAMOND	3-06	305	2X	20170	4.8%	970	3.4%	679
DAIRYMAN LEWIS JODI	3-03	305	2X	21180	5.2%	1092	3.5%	747
HOWERTON FARMS FARO BRENDA	5-02	305	2X	21750	4.6%	1006	3.2%	694
HOWERTON FARMS LEWIS ZESTA	4-07	288	2X	16880	5.7%	969	3.8%	637
GOLDEN J VILTER ODEER	4-02	305	2X	22210	5.3%	1168	3.4%	758
DAIRYMAN POKER ROSELLE	5-11	305	2X	20820	4.3%	904	3.6%	749
HOWERTON FARMS DOUBLE L KAYLA	4-02	305	2X	21360	4.9%	1041	3.5%	757
IDLE GOLD MHB JOLENE	4-01	305	2X	24970	4.2%	1054	3.3%	830
DAIRYMAN RONALD JUDY	4-00	305	2X	22680	4.3%	970	3.3%	751
DAIRYMAN BIONIC REVIVAL ET	3-03	305	2X	23390	4.8%	1115	3.3%	780
SYLVIN FARM MIC JAM	6-07	305	2X	23140	5.1%	1185	3.7%	850
SYLVIN FARM MICHAEL AMBER	6-00	305	2X	22290	4.5%	1004	3.4%	750
ROLLING PRAIRIE DD MICHELOB	3-03	305	2X	20060	4.7%	948	3.6%	717
HOWERTON FARMS SAINT LILA	4-06	301	2X	22710	3.5%	791	2.8%	637
IDLE GOLD ITF IMABABE	3-04	305	2X	22980	4.7%	1070	3.3%	755

LANGREHR DON & KATHY, WEST SALEM, WI

RIETBROCK TC TANSY	5-10	305	2X	18800	5.1%	967	3.3%	626

NUTTLEMAN STEVEN, BANGOR, WI

PRAIRIE CREAM JB SABRINA ET	3-02	305	2X	22220	4.1%	910	3.1%	679

WEDEN LYLE & NEAL, WAUSAU, WI

WEDENS SPIDER ELVIRA	4-05	305	2X	22070	4.4%	974	3.0%	655

PETERSON KURT, CASHTON, WI

FLAMBEAU MANOR B LEIGH ET	3-03	305	2X	23610	5.0%	1180	3.2%	744
SPRING WALK SOLID GOLD L ICKEE ET	3-11	305	2X	24870	4.5%	1108	2.8%	707

LANTZ FARM, ELLSWORTH, WI

LANTZ FARM RITA OF LILY LANE	3-02	305	2X	24700	3.9%	960	3.1%	759
LILY LANE LOUIS PENNY	7-10	305	2X	22330	3.5%	777	2.9%	643
LANTZ FARM R LUCY	5-05	305	2X	22060	3.9%	864	3.5%	770

JENS GOLD FARMS, AMERY, WI

JENS GOLD LOGIC KIA	7-08	305	2X	23310	4.7%	1099	3.3%	766
JENS GOLD HUNTER LESSON	6-03	305	2X	21050	4.6%	964	3.3%	698
JENS GOLD CROWN MAYSPARKLE	5-02	305	2X	20530	5.0%	1036	3.4%	695
JENS GOLD HAMMER ZIARA	3-09	305	2X	21050	4.8%	1012	3.2%	674

KUKOWSKI ROGER, OSCEOLA, WI

QUIET PINE MAGICMAN LORI ET	3-01	305	3X	20962	4.8%	1012	3.1%	649
GT-KOWSKI PUTTERS RAINDROP	8-06	305	3X	29120	4.6%	1328	3.1%	909
GR-SANDY KNOLLS SUNSET RAINCLOUD	3-02	305	3X	21100	5.1%	1084	3.4%	719

SWYERS HARRY & MARGARET & FAMILY, AMERY, WI

ROLLANDIA SABER PAX VOBISCUM	8-01	292	2X	16070	6.1%	988	4.0%	649

GOLDEN J GUERNSEYS, AMERY, WI

SUNNY BROOK ROGER JOSIE	5-07	305	2X	19120	5.3%	1005	3.4%	648
GOLDEN J LANDON LIZZY	3-01	305	2X	23100	4.1%	938	2.7%	613

JENSEN NEIL & JANICE, COMSTOCK, WI

TWIN L FARMS R J SARAH	5-04	305	2X	18620	5.3%	981	3.2%	593

GURN Z MEADOW, JANESVILLE, WI

GURN Z MEADOW ANGELS HEAVENLY	3-06	305	2X	19400	4.5%	864	3.8%	735

VAN DOORN GARY, TONY, WI

FLAMBEAU MANOR RON LAUREL ET	5-06	305	2X	19170	6.2%	1193	3.5%	680

PETERSON RANDY L & KELLY JO, WILSON, WI

MISTY MEADOWS MJ JUNE	4-10	305	3X	24890	4.7%	1160	3.5%	863

CLARK WESLEY R, VIOLA, WI

WESGRAY LEGACY TILLIE	3-05	305	3X	29900	4.1%	1224	2.9%	875

COZY NOOK FARM, WAUKESHA, WI

PR-COZY NOOK B PINEAPPLE	3-01	305	2X	21580	4.1%	893	3.3%	704

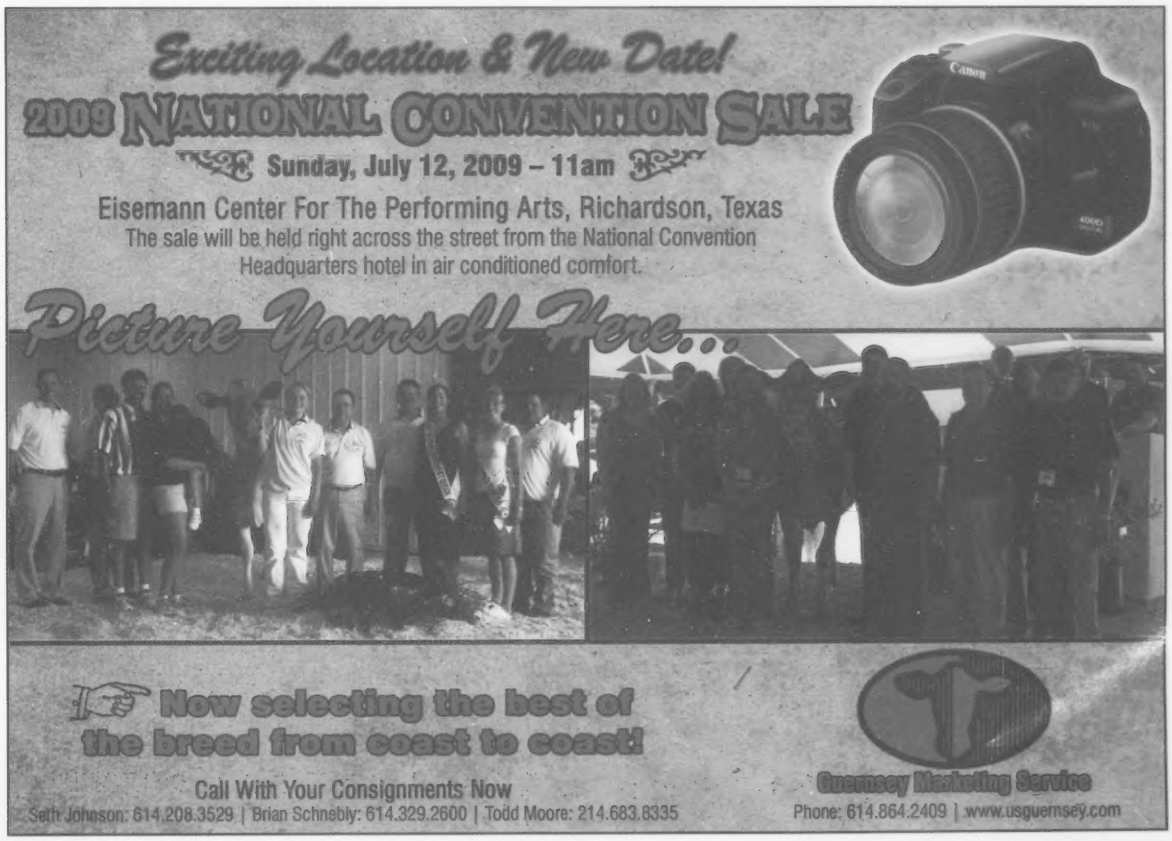
VILTER CLARK & JOY, HARTLAND, WI

FOUR WINDS DEE SHARP DESIGN ET	5-06	305	2X	21950	4.8%	1050	3.0%	653
FOUR WINDS ACE BETTY ET	4-00	305	2X	25190	3.9%	991	2.8%	714

VERMONT

THOMPSON MURRAY R, COLCHESTER, VT

THOMPSON FARM POKER HONEY	6-03	305	2X	23120	4.2%	976	3.1%	724



2009 Director Nominations

DISTRICT TWO

All Active members of District Two may vote for the nominees for the directorship which represents the states of Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Dave Trotter and his wife Jill reside in Enon Valley, Pennsylvania. They have four daughters; Abby, Bethany, Cara and Jamie.

Dave Trotter

Dave has a full-time job as a milk inspector with the state of Pennsylvania. He is also a partner in Trotacre Farm with his brother Bob and father Jim. Trotacre Farm is home to a herd of 35 Registered Guernseys along with over 100 Holsteins. A large free-stall barn and parallel parlor built in the 1990's have allowed the herd to milk three times per day and excel for production. Trotacre Farm was the top producing Guernsey herd in the nation in 2006 & 2007. The Trotacre prefix is well-known throughout the world as the farm bred Trotacre Loral Tiller-ET, Mercury Loral-ET, Mercury Lorry-ET, Enhancer Lewis-ET, Mr Luxury-ET and many other great sires. The Trotters have exhibited many All-Americans and show champions over the years as well.

Dave judged the National Guernsey Show in Madison and will be the judge for the National Show in Louisville in 2009. He was also the official for the Guernsey Class for the Hoard's Dairyman Judging Contest in 2008. He is a supporter of many sales, always endeavoring to consign an animal that will help a sale and reflect positively on his herd and the breed. Dave is a great supported of youth programs and feels his children have benefitted from their participation in Pennsylvania and AGA youth programs and contests. He is very interested in keeping young sire proving programs strong and is a member of the Board of United Guernsey Genetics young sire sampling program.

DISTRICT SIX

All Active members of District Six may vote for the nominees for the directorship which represents the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

Keith Dixon of Phillipsburg, Mo., is running for the position of District Six Director. Until he was 12, his father milked grade

Keith Dixon

Guernseys and Holsteins and their crosses as a sharecropper. Even though he was very young, Keith had already caught the farming bug and the love of the Guernsey cow. Upon graduating from the University of Maryland with a B.S. in dairy science, he was a 4-H extension agent for 3 ½ years before starting to dairy. He had raised a few registered Guernsey and Holstein heifers. When he went to Farm Credit for a loan, he was told the money could only be used to purchase Holsteins. For the next ten years he milked 50-70 Holsteins and a couple of Guernseys, purchasing a few along the way. Because of their quiet disposition, Keith's children, Katie, Brett and Travis, learned to milk on the Guernseys. They later showed both breeds, excelling with the Guernseys.

In the early 1990's, they started getting a protein premium, butterfat prices were increasing, and their mixer wagon needed to be replaced; "so I jumped into management intensive grazing" Keith said. Besides the Guernsey advantage in components and disposition, they are superior grazers, as well as having less calving and breeding problems. Following his divorce in 1992, Keith had a herd of 20 with roughly half being Holstein, half Guernsey and a few crosses. He started using registered Guernsey bulls for clean-up. After the Holsteins were bred AI a couple times to Holstein bulls, they were put in with the Guernsey bull. The crosses looked, milked and tested well. "I kept breeding the crosses to registered Guernsey bulls and took advantage of the AGA's new grade-up program. Our first original cross lived to be 13, produced almost 200,000M 4.91F 3.8P and had many offspring. They now have 165 reg. Guernseys, 6 RF crosses, and only 2 reg. Holsteins. He strongly disagrees with the idea that Guernseys can't compete with Holsteins, either at the feed bunk or on the milk check. The past few years Dixons have sold several young Guernsey bulls to commercial Holstein breeders looking to improve their herds. Hopefully they will continue to develop their Guernsey genetics and get involved with the AGA.

Keith thinks it is important to continually emphasize in our breeding programs: high components, tightly attached udders, correct feet and legs, and adequate strength to keep our cattle profitable, long-lasting, and enjoyable to work with.

The farm they rented in Maryland was sold in March 2002 so they purchased a farm in southwestern Missouri. Brett and Keith enjoy intensively grazing Guernseys, only supplementing with minimal grain in the parlor year round and hay and haylage in the winter. Once they make the major improvements to this farm, they would like to start a seasonal dairy. "God has blessed us with cows that are a pleasure to work with, produce well, and even some that have done well in the show ring. But my greatest joy has been watching Katie, Brett and Travis develop through their Guernsey activities, with much support and encouragement from Guernsey breeders, into productive, caring citizens that are happy to help and share with others," Keith says.

One area that Keith feels we as breeders have fallen short in is getting more young people into dairying with Guernseys. Keith says "the AGA and many state associations have great youth programs, but we fail to follow through with those youth that really want to start dairying. We need to be creative. Could they work for a share of the milk check and some percentage of the heifer calves? This would allow them to gain knowledge, experience and gradually develop a herd. Could AGA start a list of breeders that would be interested in having interns, share-workers, or partial or total herd sales to new breeders? Could each director help match a beginning farmer to an established mentor in their area to answer questions on financing, budgets, production, and best milk buyers in the area who would give the most for the high quality Guernsey milk? If we are doing a good job of breeding and managing our Guernseys, we should have extra animals to help someone get started."

Being on the AGA Type Committee the past few years has been very insightful for Keith. When he attended the national conventions, he would also sit in on the Marketing Committee meetings, which were also very informative. Keith has en-

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Wisconsin Video Sale Report

The 2009 edition of the Wisconsin Video Calf Sale was a resounding success as 18 calves averaged $1,885, the second highest average ever for this sale series. In this unique sale, the calves never leave the farm until they are delivered to their new owners. Each consignment is videoed along with family members. A DVD is then sent to prospective buyers and viewed during the sale by those in attendance. For the first time this year, the footage was also made available on YouTube. This proved very popular as the top selling lots were viewed more than 350 times prior to the sale. The calves can still be seen at www.usguernsey.com/sales/wivideo09.htm.

Topping the sale at $4,550 was Lot 5, the choice from 4 Sept. '08 Challenge heifers from Coulee Crest Skipper Jewel, EX-90. Jewel has a top record over 23,000M and 1,100F. The choice was consigned by Kurt Peterson of Cashton, Wis., and purchased by Josey and Lindsay Morris of Watertown, Wis.

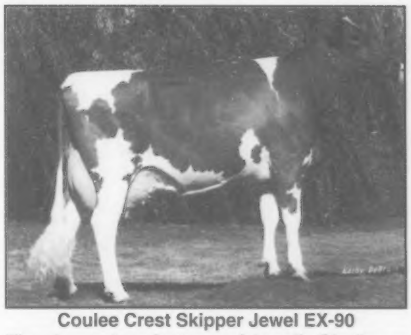
Second high seller at $3,200 was Lot 9, a Showtime September calf from a VG-88 Vilter who is working on her fourth record over 23,000M and 900F. Seven of the next eight dams are VG or EX in this exceptional pedigree. The calf was consigned by Jens Lantz of Ellsworth, Wis, and purchased by Jason and David Henisee of Mt. Joy, Penn. The sale staff included auctioneer Paul Beukema, Darrel Clark, Vic Voigt, Duane Schuler and Randy Peterson. Brandon Grewe and Trent Jensen served as sale chairs. The sale was managed by the Wisconsin Guernsey Breeders' Association under the direction of Deb Lakey.

1st Choice from Skipper Jewel (09/08) $4,550
Sire: Idle Gold E Challenge-ET
B: Josey & Lindsay Morris, Watertown, WI
C: Kurt Peterson, Cashton, WI

Lantz Farm Showtime Rogers (09/08) $3,200
Sire: Four Winds Showtime-ET
B: Jason Henisee, Mt. Joy, PA
C: Jens Lantz, Ellsworth, WI

Donnybrook Martini Jackie (12/08) $2,500
Sire: Abiqua Acres Banger Martini
B: Trevor Bollech, Kingston, IL
C: Duane Schuler, Platteville, WI

Rolling Prairie S Makenzie (12/08) $2,200
Sire: Coulee Crest R O Silverado-ET
B: Emily Hellendrung, Ridgeland, WI
C: Rolling Prairie Farm, Garnavillo, IA



Coulee Crest Skipper Jewel EX-90
The chance to select one of Jewel's Challenge calves born in September 2008 sold for $4,550, topping the 2009 WI Video Calf Sale.

Idle Gold Aaron Haze (09/08) $1,850
Sire: Sniders Option Aaron-ET
B: Emily Hellendrung, Ridgeland, WI
C: Idle Gold Guernseys, Comstock, WI

Adams Creek Aaron Abbie (09/08) $1,850
Sire: Sniders Option Aaron-ET
B: Zachary Boyer, Clintonville, WI
C: Alyssa & Kate Nuttleman, Bangor, WI

Lang Haven Behold Promise (12/08)$1,850
Sire: Idle Gold C Behold
B: Brandon Ziebell, Wilton, WI
C: Don & Kathy Langrehr, West Salem, WI

Oak Knob Hudson Alice (07/08) $1,700
Sire: Jens Gold Fort Hudson-ET
B: Loren Daentl, Edmund, WI
C: Oak Knob Guernseys, Cresco, IA

Sunny Mead Banger Glitter (09/08)$1,650
Sire: My Day Bliss Banger-ET
B: Bonnie Engel, Shawano, WI
C: David Bandli, Rice Lake, WI

GR-West View Challenge Lenny (11/08) $1,600
Sire: Idle Gold E Challenge-ET
B: Nathan Kringle, Barron, WI
C: Dan & Adrienne Nelson, Ogema, WI

GR-Knapps Allstar Daffodil (12/08) $1,600
Sire: Knapps Ace Allstar
B: Josey & Lindsay Morris, Watertown, WI
C: Austin & Landen Knapp, Epworth, IA

Melbys Lyndon Cyclone (09/08) $1,575
Sire: Up The Creek Neon Lyndon
B: Shelby Lang, Marshfield, WI
C: Roger Melby, Westby, WI

Rollandia Grumpy Pokemon (11/08) $1,575
Sire: Golden J Ronald Grumpy
B: Bonnie Engel, Shawano, WI
C: Rollandia Guernseys, Amery, WI

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Dix Lee Spider **Nik** - Tw
Born: 6/04/08
Dam: Pemberton Ron Nadia VG-88(90/88)
G'Dam: Pemberton Logic Nia - TW VG-85(82/88)
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Convention Tours

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Mexico, Arkansas, and Oklahoma. These producers have pooled their resources to provide consumer education in nutrition, to promote dairy product use, and provide dairy product information. The Southwest Dairy Museum operates in an educational and promotional capacity for the dairy industry. The Museum provides the public with factual information about milk production, nutrition, and dairy products, helping to enhance the image of the dairyman. Dairy farmers direct and fund all activities in that effort. The objective of the Museum is to preserve the history of the Southwestern dairy industry for the enjoyment and education of generations to come. A highlight of the museum will be the Guernsey Walk of Fame. Buses will return to the hotel by 4:30 pm.

The dinner on Saturday night will be a joint event with Slow Food –Dallas. In the United States, members of Slow Food USA's 200 chapters celebrate the amazing bounty of food that is available and work to strengthen the connection between the food on our plates and the health of our planet. Slow Food works to preserve traditional foods and strengthen local food networks. Lucky Layla dairy products will be featured along with other local Texas products. Convention attendees will have the chance to visit with attendees from the Dallas area that are interested in learning more about the people that produce their food.

National Sale & Youth Auction – Sunday, July 11

Following a church service at 8 am, the National Sale will be held in the Eiseman Center for the Performing Arts. The theatre will provide an exciting experience to purchase the best of the breed in air conditioned comfort. Following the sale, visitors will have the opportunity to relax at the hotel before the National Youth Banquet at 5 pm. Following the banquet, the Youth Auction will be held to benefit AGA Youth Programs. All are invited to donate an item with a Guernsey connection that can be sold to support the youth.

Annual Meeting – Monday, July 12

The American Guernsey Youth Association (AGYA) will hold their annual meeting at 8 am. The AGA Annual Meeting will be held at 10 am. The convention will close at noon. The Partner Profit Sale, a presentation of 30 animals owned in partnership by various breeders with Lavon Farms, will be held at Lavon Farms in Plano, Texas, at 2 pm. Transportation to and from the sale will be provided.

For more details on the convention and the tours, please visit www.usguernsey.com/09convention.htm

Director Nominations

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joyed being president of the MD and MO Guernsey Breeders Associations. Besides involvement with local and regional milk marketing, supply, and electrical co-ops, he has served on various church boards and committees and has been a Sunday School facilitator.

Mike Hickman farms with his father and brother in Shelbyville, Tennessee. They milk about 40 Registered Guernseys along

Mike Hickman

with a number of Holsteins. Mike's daughter, Makayla, has recently begun exhibiting at National Junior Guernsey Shows and Mike's two nephews showed extensively as Juniors. The Hickman family exhibits animals at several major shows each year, including the NGS-Louisville, Mid-South Fair, Tennessee State Fair and often the Kentucky State Fair. They bred and exhibited the Reserve All-American Aged Cow in 2008, Hickman Valleys MM Summer-ET, EX-93. She is a daughter of another of their well-known cows, Hickman Valleys Fayette Susie, EX-93, who was Honorable Mention All-American twice as an Aged Cow. She is backed by another homebred EX-92 cow.

Mike has worked on the fitting crew of nearly every sale run by Guernsey Marketing Service over the past decade including the National Convention Sale, the International Guernsey Classic and many herd dispersals. He has earned the trust of breeders throughout his region and has successfully selected top animals for various sales. He was instrumental in getting the Babyruth cow into the 2008 National Sale and selected most of the sale lineup for the successful 2008 Kentucky National Show and Sale. Mike is committed to working for the advancement of the Guernsey breed.

AT LARGE

All active members of the American Guernsey Association may vote for the nominees for the directorship which represents the At-Large position.

Leon Zweegman of Lynden, Wash., is running again for the Director At-Large position he currently holds. He owns and oper-

Leon Zweegman

ates Rozelyn Farm with his wife, Loraine and sons Greg and Lance. Lance also drives a ready-mix concrete truck off the farm. Brian, their oldest son, is a certified welder, who helps on his days off.

Leon's involvement in Guernsey's began when his father bought his first calf, which was purchased at the Fairlawn Dispersal in 1957. Leon went on to receive the FFA American Farmer Degree in 1967 and graduated from Washington State University in 1969 with a degree in animal science. Following this he served in the US Army for two years.

In 1972 Leon took over operation of Rozelyn Farm and was joined by brother,Marv, in 1974. They were selected for the Outstanding Young Guernsey Farmer award in 1980. Later that year Marv chose to seek other employment.

Today, Rozelyn Farm is home to Guernseys with a DHIR average of 17,243M 815F and 590P which are milked 2x with no rBST. The herd has been recognized as a Double Gold Star Breeder 34 years and has been the Number One CPI herd in the nation. The herd has had many class leading records and excellent cows.

Leon's leadership credentials include president of the Washington Guernsey Association and Vice President of the Pacific Northwest Guernsey Association. He has served as president of the Lynden FFA/Booster Club which supports local FFA activities. On the national level, Leon is a member of the American Guernsey Association and has attended the last seven National Conventions. He participates in the TPE program and advertises in the Guernsey Breeders' Journal. He also serves on the United Guernsey Genetics board.

Having traveled to the last three World Guernsey Conferences, Leon feels some of our breeders may be able to pursue some niche markets for A2 milk. "We must continue to stress high components in our Guernsey cow as that is what the other member countries of the WGCF look for from the semen we export to their countries," Leon states.

Wisconsin Guernseys
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Performance Winner at Madison. Her dam was an EX-90 Skytop daughter with over 100,000M. Although neither of Valerie's sons achieved "superstar" status, Valor has two sons on the Active AI List – Marfred Masterpeice and Sniders Valors Aliance-ET. He is also the maternal grandsire of Penny Lane Royal Oak Turley. Valiant has been a steady presence for many years, siring many show winners and Aldens Valiant Royal, an active AI sire for some time.

Tag Lane Volcano Sugar, EX-90, is another of the many great brood cows that has called Wisconsin home. Bred by Tom Griswold of Ixonia, Wis., Sugar is the dam of **Tag Lane Buttermost Saber** and **Tag Lane Ideal Sharp-ET**. Although her top record was a relatively moderate 3-05 365D 21,330M 4.6% 983F 3.4% 728P, she transmitted high components and longevity through her sons, both of whom had several sons sampled in AI. Sharp's best son so far has been Marfred Maxie, a bull that spent considerable time on the Active AI list. Sugar was a daughter of Harmony Quantity Volcano and out of a VG-87 Minnies Choice with over 25,000M and 1,000F. There were 4 VG full sisters to Sharp and a Magic sister scored VG-89.

Four Winds Magicman-ET, has received widespread use worldwide. He was bred in Wisconsin by Clark and Joy Vilter of Hartland, Wis. Magicman's dam was an EX-93 Big Tex daughter. The next dam was scored EX-91. Magicman can claim 869 daughters in his production proof. His pedigree was reviewed extensively in a previous issue of the *Guernsey Journal*.

Perhaps no bull has had any greater impact on the Guernsey breed than **Dutch Mill Telestars Fayette**. He was bred in 1977 by Roy Jacobs of Sparta, Wis. Roy's grandson, Steve Nuttleman, is still breeding Guernseys under the Adams Creek prefix in nearby Bangor, Wis. Fayette's dam, a Dari Fayvor daughter named **Dutch Mill Fayvors Faye**, VG-87, consistently tested 5.0% fat through her five lactations. Interestingly, Fayette had just two sisters: a Deacon scored VG-88 and a Claude scored D-77. Faye's dam was scored EX-91 and had over 100,000M lifetime. Only three of the current Active AI sires can claim a pedigree without Fayette's influence. He shows 9,015 daughters on his most recent genetic evaluation and his semen continues to be in demand over 30 years after he was born.

Bettswards Telestar Victory was bred by Uriel Dosch and Sons of Richland Center, Wis. There are over 2,800 daughters in his production proof, yet it is his best son, Sherma Victory Ellas Enhancer, that has kept Victory's name in the Guernsey conversation. Through Enhancer, Victory appears in the pedigrees of at least ten current Active AI Sires. His dam was an EX-91 Burgers Place Billy with over 110,000M lifetime and an impressive lifetime fat test of 5.5%.

Jimco Penders Pansy, **Royal Acres Extra July, Flambeau Manor Enhancer Lana** - the list of great cows bred in Wisconsin could go on and on. We'd love to hear your opinion on the greatest cows that have been bred in Wisconsin, or any other state. ***Better yet, advertise them on the pages of the Guernsey Breeders' Journal!***

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Robert E. Holcomb

Robert E. Holcomb, 85, of Greene, New York, died on March 7, 2009, in Temple Terrace, Florida. He was predeceased by his wife, Ethel J. Holcomb. Bob is survived by two sons and daughters-in-law, Donald and Brenda Holcomb, Duane and Robin Holcomb, all of Greene; five grandchildren, Shannon, Sabrina, Joshua, Scott and Louise; three great-grandchildren, Rilee, Abigail and Elizabeth; brother and sister-in-law, Lee and Minnie Holcomb, Seffner, FL; sister, Lois Carl, Stone Mountain, GA; three sisters-in-law and brother-in-law, Martha and Walter Burrows, Mary Webb and Alberta Webb; many nieces and nephews. Bob was a lifelong dairy farmer. He was a life member and former director of the American Guernsey Association. In his later years, he had a passion for baseball.

Breeding under the prefix "Holcombs", he bred nationally recognized Guernseys for many years. He was a fixture at Guernsey shows throughout the year and at the AGA National Convention. Holcombs Guernseys have bred 6 All-Americans, 10 Reserve All-Americans and 2 Honorable Mentions. Bob served on the AGA Board of Directors and as President of the New York State Guernsey Breeders' Cooperative.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Malech Hospice House, 11125 N. 52 St., Temple Terrace, FL 33617; or to the Guernsey Foundation, 7614 Slate Ridge Blvd., Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068.

C. Wesley Albert

C. Westley Albert, 79, passed away Sunday, March 8, 2009 at his home in Columbus, Ohio. Wesley was a veteran of USMC Korean Conflict, a graduate of Mt. Union College in Ohio and a member of Grace United Church of Christ. Survived by his wife, Ida J. of 54 years, daughter Jane Bendure; sons Tom (Kristin), Darrell & Jim; 6 grandchildren; 1 great grandchild; and 3 sisters. He was preceded in death by daughter, Barbara, son Gregg, 4 brothers and a sister.

Ida wishes to say thank you to all Guernsey Breeders for their calls and cards! It means a lot to have her "Guernsey Family" support her along the way!

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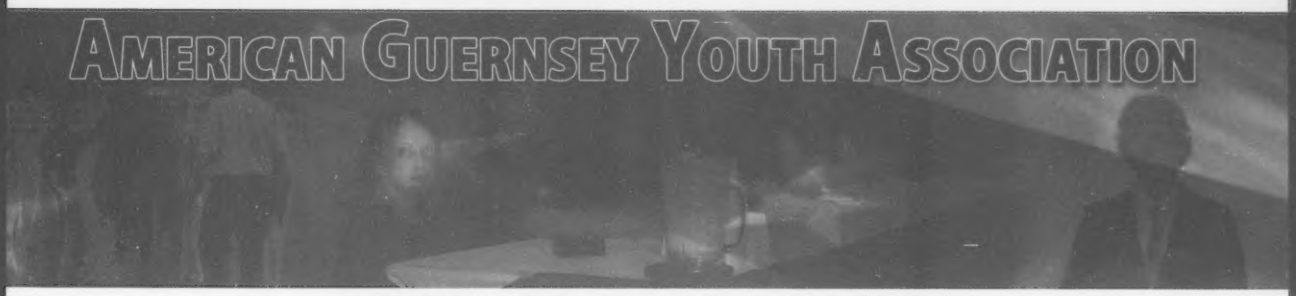

AGYA Advisor Comments

Spring has finally sprung! As I write this on the first day of spring, thoughts are turning from plowing snow, to much warmer weather and eyes will be on the next All-American to come out of your herd. Spring is one of those seasons that is a sigh of relief that the harsh winter (well for us northerners) is over and the warmer weather is in sight! Spring also brings field work, spring cleaning and starting to get those heifers halter broke for the upcoming show season (yes I said show season). As you look over your young stock and cows, make sure to consider consigning one to the great sales that the Guernsey breed has to offer. They are run very efficiently and effectively by the Guernsey Marketing Service and are a great chance to expand our excellent homegrown bloodlines to other breeders across the country. As milk prices are hitting a low-point once again, just remember Guernsey cows receive extra incentive for the high quality and components that she produces.

Juniors make sure to get all your award entries and teams together for the quiz bowl contests! I am sure that we are all are going to have a great time in Texas in July, so let's make sure to have an outstanding turnout in all of our successful and rewarding contests!! Most entries are due by March 31st, but be sure to check the website (www.usguernsey.com) for all contest rules and applications. Happy Spring! Let the national advisors know if you need anything!!

Your Fellow Guernsey Enthusiast,
Monica Renfrow

Get Ready For... PENNY WARS!

What is "Penny Wars"?
It's a fairly new activity taking place during National Convention to raise money for the AGA Youth Fund.

How Does "Penny Wars" Work?
Every state represented by Junior members at Convention will have a jar. The object is to put pennies in your state's jar, and silver change or paper money in the other state's jars. Pennies count towards your state's total, silver change & paper money takes points away from your state's total. For example, it would take 25 pennies to negate 1 quarter. At the end of convention, each state's jar will be counted and the winner will get a Penny Wars keepsake. All the money collected will go to the AGA Youth fund to support youth programs.

Start collecting your loose change now!

JOIN THE MOOOOVEMENT!

Are you a dairy producer, dairy expert or dairy farming enthusiast between the ages of 17 and 29? Do you want to learn how to use Facebook, blogs, YouTube, and other social media to connect others?

If so, contact Allison Stammen at
Allison.stammen@drink-milk.com
to learn more about myDairy, a new social media program for dairy advocates.

Here is a quick reference list of when all the Youth Awards and Contest deadlines are! Entry forms can be found online at www.usguernsey.com/youth.htm. It's easy to get involved, so enter today!

DUE MAY 1, 2009
Prepared Public Speaking Contest Entry
Extemporaneous Public Speaking Contest Entry

DUE JUNE 1, 2009
Folding Display Contest Application
Youth Photo Contest Application
(You do not need to attend the National Convention to participate in either of these contest. Items can be shipped to the AGA office or brought along to Convention!)

www.usguernsey.com/youth.htm for applications

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Princess Diaries

Hello Guernsey Enthusiasts!

I hope you survived the winter and are looking forward to spring show season! I know I am sure looking forward to warmer weather!

It's hard to believe my freshman year of college is almost over. Life as a college student has kept me very busy. With eighteen credits, I have been spending many late nights in the library looking over notes, writing papers and studying for exams. College has taught me patience, now I know that sounds crazy but it's true. For example, at least once a week our dorm is evacuated because of the fire alarm. One week someone caught the kitchen on fire, another week some kid burnt a pizza and just last week someone thought it would be funny to pull the fire alarm. Ugh… I am sure hoping I don't hear the fire alarm go off the rest of the semester.

In my last article I wrote about my college roommate Sarah. She had so many questions about cows, so I brought her along to the WI Guernsey Convention for an experience of a lifetime. She was like a little kid in the car on the way to the convention. She was full of questions including, "When we get to your farm, will the cows be in their cages or just running around everywhere?" At that point, all I could do was laugh! She attended the auction, and was amazed at how much a heifer would sell for. She also attended the Banquet and learned about all the aspects of the Guernsey breed. She had a great time visiting with Guernsey breeders and hopes to attend future Guernsey Events to continue increasing her knowledge of the Guernsey breed and the dairy industry.

Hannah Iverson

In addition, I would like to congratulate all the Wisconsin Guernsey Breeders for their hard work and efforts in organizing another successful convention! I would also like to congratulate all the award winners for their outstanding performance within the last year promoting and supporting the Wisconsin Guernsey Association. I would like to thank everyone for their generosity with the youth auction. Your support and generosity toward our organization is greatly appreciated and will enable our youth organization to continue to strive for success!

As the new show season rapidly approaches, I wish you all the best of luck in the show ring! I look forward to seeing you all in Texas at the 2009 National Guernsey Convention.

Sincerely,
Hannah Iverson
2008 National Guernsey Princess

Semen is needed on the following bulls in order to complete DNA testing for our Genomic Selection project:

014GU00156	CEDARBROOK POLLYS NANCE
021GU00239	CHENANGO FARM GALLANT
029GU00773	CLEVERLANDS GENERAL ELDORADO
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007GU00159	DENDELS ORCHARDS CORA HOLLIREX
021GU00238	DENDELS ORCHARDS GOLDEN PRINCE
014GU00198	FLAMBEAU ADMIRAL CRUSADER
029GU00788	GRANDVIEW WISTARS FABIAN
029GU00785	GRAYCE FARMS FOREMOSTS JESTER
029GU00858	GUERNDEAN DIXIE ADML DAVIS
040GU00172	HENSLEE FARMS V FAME
021GU00133	HOMINY HILL ACME
029GU00924	JENSGOLDEN VICTORY HUNTER
009GU00123	JIMCO PANSYS BILLY
008GU00170	JONKAR TELESTARS PRIDE
007GU00529	KELLOGG CHIEFS BILLY
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009GU00089	METZGER FARMS ROLEX
021GU00249	OLYMPIC VIEW JAMAICA
007GU00198	OLYMPIC VIEW PRINCE ADRIAN
007GU00239	PIERCE FARMS ADMIRAL SHIPMATE
029GU00941	RIVERWOOD MAGIC FABLE
001GU00405	ROYAL ACRES ENHANCER JB
007GU00260	SPRING WALK ETTAS SERGEANT
001GU00071	TROTACRE IDEAL LOGIC
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014GU00187	VALLEY SET D HERO
029GU00786	VILLA CREST P LEADER
009GU00109	WILLOWS ADMIRAL JASPER
007GU00267	YELLOW CREEK FAYE BALDWIN

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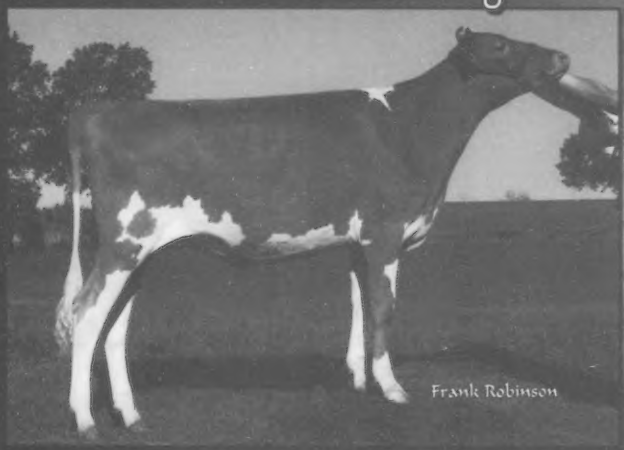

Faria Oak Leaf Challenge Idol
Nominated Junior All-American Fall Calf
1st NJS-Sacramento

Dam: Oklatex Fire Iredescence VG-83 (82/84)
2-00 273D 14,360M 4.8% 696F 3.4% 488P rip

2nd Dam: Kelly & Mills Logic Ireland-ET EX-90 (91/88)
2-04 337D 16,380M 4.5% 733F 3.3% 543P
4-06 305D 17,060M 4.1% 695F 3.2% 553P

3rd Dam: Morfred Bossman Iola EX-90
7-05 305D 19,990M 4.7% 941F 3.5% 695P
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Reserve All-American Junior 2-Year-Old 2006

Guernsey Dell Tiller Heart EX94 (94/93)

3-10 305d 21,256M 4.9% 1,041F 3.5% 743P
All-American 4-Year-Old 2008
Heart is owned with Frank and Patti Faria

Other Top Tiller Scores

Millborne Tiller Blessing EX90 - 2nd calf, 92 mammary, maternal sister to Bolero
Millborne Tiller Blair VG88 - 1st calf, Nom All-American Jr. 3-Yr-Old, maternal sister to Bolero
Millborne Tiller Daphne VG87 - 1st calf, fresh in December
Millborne Tiller Fancy EX92 - Highest score for 2nd calf, Nom All-American
Millborne Tiller Hedy EX91 - 2nd calf, grandaughter of Hilda EX91
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2009 - 2010

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Who Receives the Directory?

- All subscribers to the *Guernsey Breeders Journal* will receive it with the September '09 *GBJ*
- The Directory will be available in the AGA booths at the World Dairy Expo in Madison, WI; the All-American Dairy Show in Harrisburg, PA; & the North American in Louisville, KY!
- New members of the American Guernsey Association

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April 25 - Upper Mid-West Spring Sale
West Salem, WI
April 25 - Maryland All-Breed Calf Sale
Frederick, MD
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Many Sell from this prolific Family including her EX-90 Protein King winner 29,000M.

Owned with Bob Griggs, OK

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3-08 365D 15,220M 3.9% 1,182F 3.6% 1,253P

Grand Champion #65, Madison 1998. All-American & Force Res. AA.

Several members of the Bliss Family will sell including a VG-85 Ronald w/20,090M

#149 CPI & Her VG Full Sister. Owned with Mark Erdman, IL & Bob Griggs, OK

Wilsonview Smokey *Ella* EX-93

3-02 305D 26,350M 3.8% 991F 3.7% 861P

6 VG-87 granddaughter sells with her own VG-87 @ 2 yrs. Daughter.

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3-09 305D 19,530M 4.7% 909F 3.3% 643P

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Nom. All-American 4-Year-Old 2000
Life: 147,540M 4.7% 6,903F 3.6% 5,292P
A Pair sell from this maternal line. Proven Excellence!

TERPHILL PERFECTO MITZBY EX-93
9-10 365D 23,110M 3.9% 900F 3.1% 725P
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A Challenge calf sells from Mitzby's VG-85 Dulsty granddaughter.

CEDAR WAY KAMEOS SECRET
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3-06 313D 14,580M 4.8% 707F 3.4% 501P
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